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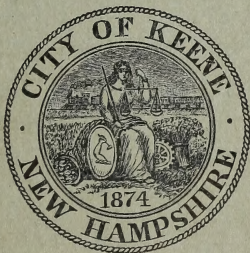
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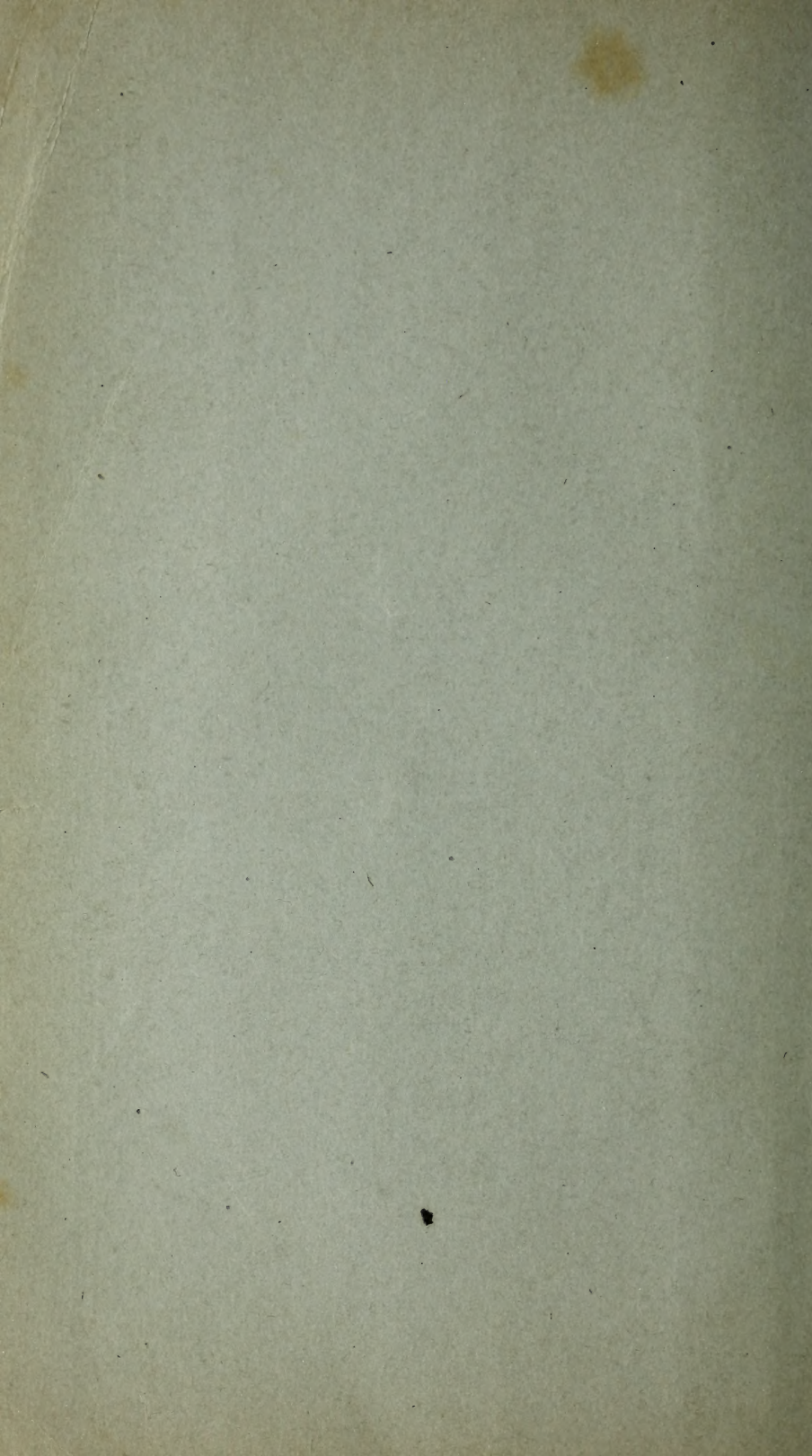
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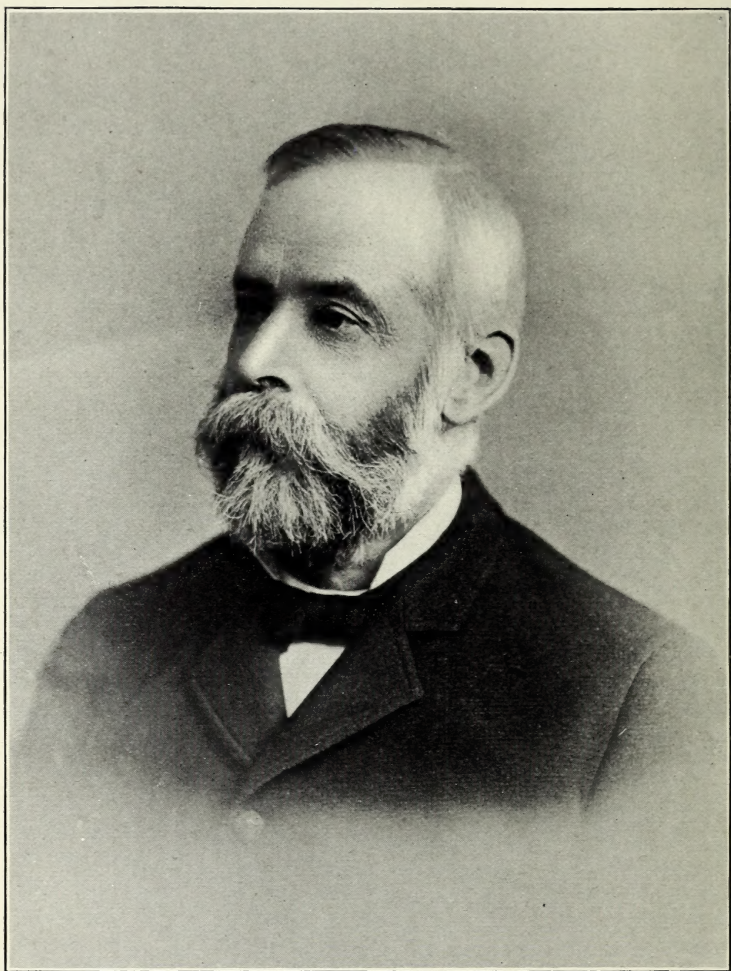
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MAYOR, 1876, 1877.

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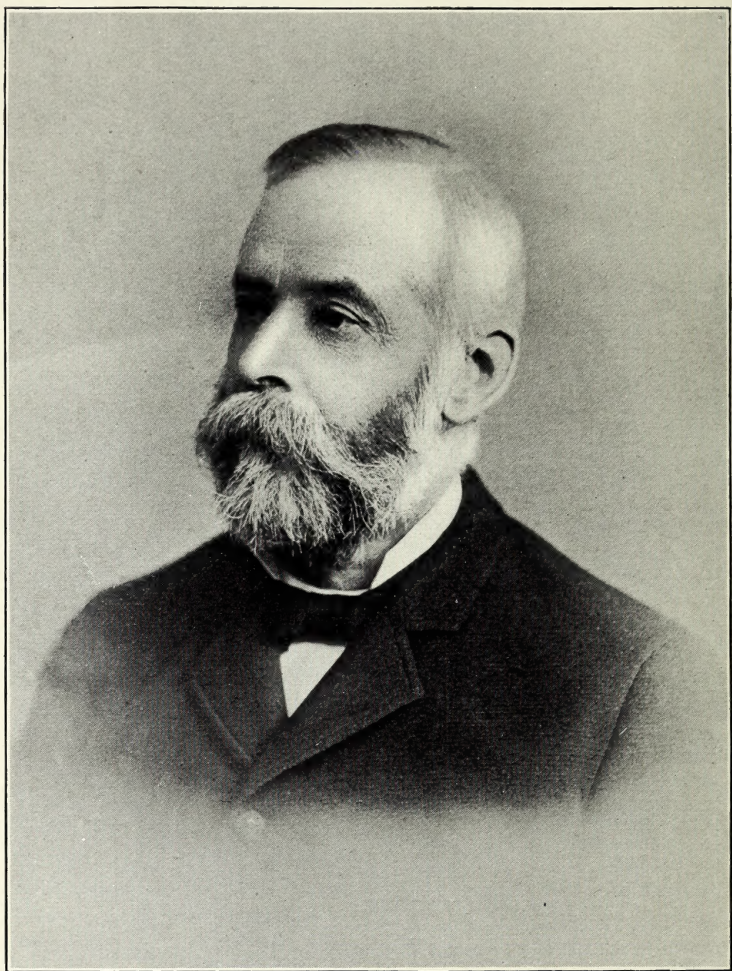


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## ORGANIZATION OF CITY GOVERNMENT.

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TUESDAY, January 3, 1905.

The members elect of the city government for the municipal year of 1905, having met for organization agreeably to the provisions of the city charter, the convention was called to order by ex-Mayor Frederic A. Faulkner, at ten of the clock in the forenoon. The oath of office by law prescribed was administered to the mayor-elect, James S. Taft, by Hon. Frederic A. Faulkner, who then introduced him to the aldermen and councilmen present. After roll-call by the clerk, His Honor Mayor Taft administered the oath of office to the following named members of the boards of aldermen and councilmen, to wit:

### BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Ward 1.—HERBERT R. BEALS.

Ward 2.—HARRY T. KNAPP.

Ward 3.—BURTIS L. PARKMAN.

Ward 4.—JESSE B. HYLAND.

Ward 5.—DANIEL E. GORMAN.

### BOARD OF COMMON COUNCIL.

Ward 1.—WALTER E. BULLARD.

WALTER R. KIRK.

CALVIN W. FARWELL.

Ward 2.—CLINTON J. SMITH.

FRED F. PAGE.

CLARENCE W. EMERSON.



Ward 3.—GEORGE S. JONES.

CHARLES H. MASON.

JAMES G. HARVEY.

Ward 4.—WORTHEN D. WHITTAKER.

ARTHUR L. WRIGHT.

GEORGE D. GILLIS.

Ward 5.—PATRICK G. TAAFE.

JOHN H. KENNEDY.

PATRICK J. MALLOY.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Joseph Walther, after which the mayor delivered his inaugural address.

After the prayer and inaugural address, Frank H. Whitcomb, was elected clerk, and Joseph F. Emmons, city messenger, and the councils then adjourned until 7:30 o'clock.

At 7:30 o'clock p. m., the common council organized by the choice of Walter E. Bullard, as president, and Herbert O. Wardwell, clerk.

## THE MAYOR'S INAUGURAL.

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*Gentlemen of the City Councils :*

We have assembled this morning for the purpose of taking the oath of office, and mapping out our course for the coming municipal term. We are aware that it is in no sense for individual pleasure or profit, but that the public good is to be our first consideration. Understanding it to be my duty to inform you, so far as possible in this brief address, of the present condition of municipal affairs, and to point out certain matters upon which you may be called to act, let us first look at our financial condition.

### FINANCIAL CONDITION.

During the past year, we have paid off the last block of railroad gratuity bonds amounting to \$10,000. We have also paid the entire floating debt, amounting to \$7,776.91, making a total reduction of \$17,776.91 in our indebtedness. The balance of assets over liabilities has increased from last year \$11,383.11. And we have provided somewhat more liberally than heretofore for certain departments. Our tax rate was reduced to \$1.55. The efficiency of the several departments has been fully maintained, and there are no outstanding bills against the city overdue. The city now owes \$70,000 4 per cent sewerage bonds, \$45,000 4 per cent water bonds, \$62,000 3½ per cent water bonds, or \$177,000 all told, due and payable



from 1905 to and including 1917. \$15,000 sewerage bonds due July 1st, next, should be paid from any funds in the treasury not otherwise provided for, and it is included in the recommendation of the finance committee.

#### HIGHWAYS.

The city has 100 miles of streets and highways to be kept in proper condition. Last year the city councils decided to change the existing policy, and voted to abolish the highway commission, returning to the system so long employed. Early in the spring, I arranged a meeting with the Massachusetts state road commissioners for the purpose of studying methods of road building, particularly respecting the construction and repair of macadam. The superintendent of streets and myself passed a day in discussion, and in riding over different sections of streets of one of the principal cities in Massachusetts which had been treated. This board fully endorsed our method of construction, being the same as employed by them in state work. The only regrettable feature was the expense of securing trap rock for top dressing which we cannot well get here.

The city appropriates \$12,000 annually to do its highway work. It must be somewhat thinly spread to cover 100 miles, but we are doing as well as can be expected until our financial condition will warrant a much larger expenditure for this department.

#### BRIDGES.

The city has within its limits nearly one hundred bridges which are cared for by the superintendent of streets. As the result of a careful inspection by the super-

intendent of streets and the city engineer we are informed that they are safe, and mainly in good condition. I recommend that as these bridges require renewing the city adopt the policy of using iron or steel to replace those worn out. If we were to adopt this course at once the yearly expenditure would not be excessive, and in a few years our bridges would give us very little trouble or anxiety and the repair account would be greatly reduced.

#### WATER WORKS, SEWERS AND DRAINS.

I commend to your careful study, the reports of the commissioners and superintendent of water works, sewers and drains on page 180 of the city report. That these large properties are well managed, goes without saying. By the report, you will see that at no time since construction began, has the assessment amounted to as much as last year, the net income from the works having been exceeded in only one instance. And owing to an excellent supply and painstaking management, we have considerable water in store while other communities are less fortunate in that respect.

#### STREET LIGHTING.

The existing contract with the Keene Gas and Electric Company for lighting the streets of the city expires July 1st the present year. It will be your duty to contract with some party for continuing this service. The expense attending the department is constantly increasing. Today it involves an annual expenditure second only to the highway department. The city is a large consumer of gas and electricity, and wants good service, for which it is willing to pay a fair wholesale price.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

I am able to speak in the most complimentary terms as to the efficiency of this most valuable branch of our municipal equipment. More than the usual amount of money has been expended the past year in this department; but it was found to be needed. A new hose sled has been purchased for the engine company, the old one having become unsafe from long service. The still alarm service operates to entire satisfaction, and is a great saving in wear and tear of equipment. Lighter chemical extinguishers have been provided, of such capacity however, that men can easily carry them into difficult places. It appears that quite a quantity of hose is needed. I recommend that the matter be fully investigated as to whether or not we can procure a hose which will serve the department longer than the grade we are now using, thereby endeavoring to make a saving in this item.

## POLICE.

If I may judge by general expression, the operation of the police department the past year has been satisfactory to the people. The arrests have been more numerous than last year, or during former years; but last year is nothing to be governed by, or to be judged from. People whose business it is to know, inform me that in all the large towns and cities of the state, conditions are the same, whenever any pretense is made toward keeping the streets clean and orderly.

To illustrate, the increase in arrests for the principal cause last year over one year ago, in our city, was 52½ per cent. The increase in ten cities and large towns outside of Keene and Manchester, is 161 per cent. I am not



speaking as to the merits or demerits of existing statutes. I wish to point out that while the arrests in our city have been largely increased, regrettable as it is, the increase in other towns and cities in our state for similar causes has been fully as large as our own.

#### CITY HALL.

The city owns the only opera house within its limits, and so long as it remains in the business it should furnish the city suitable accommodations. The wisdom of the repairs recently made and the modification of rates are fully shown by the city messenger's report, showing, as it does, that the earnings have increased \$567.00 the past year over the year 1902. The committee on city hall are having the awning over the front walk rebuilt sufficiently strong to support great weight, and are installing appliances in difficult places which, together with other changes, will provide easy and rapid escape in case of fire. The hall is no longer a debt upon the city, and I fully concur with the city messenger that new sittings for the body of the house should be provided; also a place where the seats can be carefully stored when the hall is wanted without the seats upon the main floor.

#### SHADE TREES.

I am of the opinion that greater care should be exercised in granting permission for corporations to string wires, when it becomes necessary, or will very soon, to do wholesale trimming of shade trees. People whose business it is to do the work appear to lack appreciation of the value of our trees. Private rights of way can be secured in almost every case; and this is being done whenever distance

and expense can be saved to the companies. A short time since, application was made to cut down a dozen well matured shade trees on one of the leading avenues to the city. I am strongly opposed to granting public franchise when such grants permit destruction or injury to that which makes Keene beautiful and famous.

#### HISTORY OF KEENE.

The long anticipated History of Keene is finished and presented to the public. The work reflects great credit upon those who have been engaged in its production, from first to last. It will prove a welcome visitor in every home whose inmates have a love for the grand old town, and is offered to the people at a price which little more than covers the cost of production.

#### THE ANNUAL REPORT.

The annual report of the heads of the different departments, giving in detail their operations, is ready for distribution. I recommend it to your careful consideration, showing as it does to the voter and tax payer much more intelligently than I am able to do, the physical condition of each, also where every expenditure is made.

#### CONCLUSION.

Gentlemen, the management of our municipal affairs has been committed to our hands. Some of us have been called for the third time; we must remember that this call brings additional responsibility. The city does not ask impossibilities from us; but it does ask, and reasonably insist upon a clean, economical, conservative administration, and that we make its business our own.

CITY GOVERNMENT.

KEENE, N. H.

1905.

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MAYOR.

JAMES S. TAFT.

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CITY CLERK.

Frank H. Whitcomb.

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ALDERMEN.

Ward 1.—Herbert R. Beals.

Ward 2.—Harry T. Knapp.\*

Ward 2.—Charles W. Morse.†

Ward 3.—Burtis L. Parkman.

Ward 4.—Jesse B. Hyland.

Ward 5.—Daniel E. Gorman.

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\* Removed from Keene.

† Oath of office administered March 16, 1905.



## COUNCILMEN.

Ward 1.—Walter E. Bullard, *President*.

Walter R. Kirk.

Calvin W. Farwell.

Ward 2.—Clinton J. Smith.

Fred F. Page.

Clarence W. Emerson.

Ward 3.—George S. Jones.

Charles H. Mason.

James G. Harvey.

Ward 4.—Worthen D. Whittaker.

Arthur L. Wright.

George D. Gillis.

Ward 5.—Patrick G. Taafe.

John H. Kennedy.

Patrick J. Malloy.

Herbert O. Wardwell, *Clerk*.

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The City Councils meet on the first and third Thursdays of each month, at 7:30 o'clock p. m.

The City Auditor sits every Saturday from 2 to 5 and 7 to 9 o'clock p. m., to examine and allow claims.

The Mayor will be at his office, No. 3 City Hall, every Saturday, from 2 to 5 and 7 to 9 p. m.

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## JOINT STANDING COMMITTEES.

*Finance*.—The Mayor, Alderman Morse, Councilmen Kirk and Wright.

*Schools*.—Alderman Hyland, Councilmen Jones and Kirk.

*Lands and Buildings*.—Alderman Parkman, Councilmen Taafe and Page.

*Bridges.*—Alderman Gorman, Councilmen Kennedy and Mason.

*Streets.*—Alderman Gorman, Councilmen Farwell and Page.

*Burying Grounds.*—Alderman Beals, Councilmen Jones and Smith.

*Fire Department.*—Alderman Parkman, Councilmen Kennedy and Emerson.

*Street Lights.*—Alderman Morse, Councilmen Farwell and Wright.

*Water Works, Sewers and Drains.*—Alderman Beals, Councilmen Taafe and Whittaker.

*Printing.*—Alderman Beals, Councilmen Whittaker and Smith.

*Engrossed Bills.*—Alderman Gorman, Councilmen Malloy and Gillis.

*Public Parks.*—Alderman Hyland, Councilmen Harvey and Mason.

*Public Library.*—Alderman Hyland, Councilmen Malloy and Emerson.



## STANDING COMMITTEES.

### BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

*Bills on Second Reading.*—Aldermen Hyland, Beals and Gorman.

*Licenses.*—Aldermen Gorman, Parkman and Morse.

*Police.*—Aldermen Parkman, Morse and Beals.

*Claims.*—Full Board.

### COMMON COUNCIL.

*City Hall.*—The Mayor, Councilman Mason and City Messenger Emmons.

*Elections and Returns.*—Councilmen Page, Harvey and Gillis.

*Bills on Second Reading.*—Councilmen Malloy, Whittaker and Emerson.

CITY OF KEENE.  
CITY OFFICERS.

CITY AUDITOR.  
Charles H. Hersey.

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CITY SOLICITOR.  
John E. Allen.

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CITY TREASURER.  
Walter R. Porter.

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COLLECTOR.  
Ainsworth M. Nims.

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CITY MESSENGER.  
Joseph F. Emmons.

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POLICE COMMISSIONERS.  
Frederick A. Faulkner, *Chairman*.  
Herbert B. Viall, *Clerk*. George H. Follansbee.

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CITY MARSHAL.  
Benjamin G. Hall.



CONSTABLES.

Benjamin G. Hall.  
William H. Philbrick.

Harry F. Buckminster.  
Charles S. Wright.

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POLICE JUSTICE.

Lewis W. Holmes.

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CITY PHYSICIAN.

Charles S. Walker.

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SEXTON.

Walter E. Mason.

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OVERSEER OF POOR.

Edward H. Fletcher.

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SUPERINTENDENT OF CEMETERIES.

Walter E. Mason.

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SUPERINTENDENT OF HIGHWAYS.

Elmer A. Nims.

## CITY OF KEENE.

## WATER COMMISSIONERS.

Norris G. Gurnsey.

George W. Fisher.

Charles M. Norwood.  

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## SUPERINTENDENT OF WATER WORKS, SEWERS AND DRAINS.

Paul F. Babbidge.

*Assistant*, David W. Mitchell.  

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## PARK COMMISSIONER.

George A. Wheelock.  

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## LIBRARIAN.

Maude E. Bloomingdale.  

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## ASSISTANT LIBRARIAN.

Maude H. Sherman.  

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## TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Frederick H. Kingsbury.

William P. Chamberlain.

Horatio Colony.

Mrs. Maria R. Osborne.

Herbert K. Faulkner.

Charles H. Hersey.

Mrs. Wm. H. Elliot.

Miss Kate L. Tilden.

Mrs. Wm. H. Prentiss.

Thaddeus W. Harris.

Miss Florence M. Spalter.

Miss Mary B. Dinsmoor.  

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## BOARD OF HEALTH.

Frank D. Worcester.

Leonard Wellington.

Charles G. Shedd.

INSPECTOR OF PLUMBING.

Paul F. Babbidge.

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BOARD OF EXAMINERS.

Herbert K. Faulkner.

Leonard Wellington.

David W. Mitchell.

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ASSESSORS.

Daniel R. Cole.

Henry W. Nims.

Frank K. Jewett.

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SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

Frank H. Whitcomb.

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CHIEF ENGINEER.

Fred W. Towne.

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ASSISTANT ENGINEERS.

Louis A. Nims.

Edward P. Carrigan.

Dennis J. Foley.

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SUPERINTENDENT OF FIRE ALARM.

Joseph F. Emmons.



## POLICE OFFICERS.

William H. Philbrick.	George D. Gillis.
Harry F. Buckminster.	Albert W. Green.
Charles S. Wright.	Fred W. Gunn.
Leon V. Aldrich.	Frank X. Harmon.
Irving E. Allen.	Frank E. Joy.
Colbert Auger.	Wyman Lawrence.
Fred H. Blanchard.	Garrett J. Landers.
Fred A. Bowen.	Fred H. Locke.
Charles A. Chapin.	Peter G. Marrion.
Nelson A. Crosier.	Charles H. Mason.
William Cotter.	Elmer A. Nims.
James B. Duffy.	Henry W. Nims.
Hamlin J. Dunn.	Burtis L. Parkman.
Sidney C. Ellis.	William H. Reyoum.
Joseph F. Emmons.	Charles W. Scripture.
Walter C. Fassett.	George H. Staples.
Levi M. Fay.	William S. Tuttle.
George E. Forbes.	William J. Wheelock.
Lawrence Gilbo.	James E. Wood.

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## SURVEYORS OF WOOD.

Cadmon D. Robertson.	Freeman A. White.
Mortimer Riordon.	Henry L. Barrett.
James H. Smith.	Manley W. Jones.
Zebina K. Graves.	William J. Sewell.
Franklin H. Fay.	Fred S. Barker.
Frank E. Joy.	John F. Green.
John W. Nye.	Henry I. Wyman.
Joseph Chase.	Adolphus M. Ross.
Herbert R. Raymond.	Edwin E. Chase.
Clinton J. Smith.	Joseph F. Emmons.
William H. Reyoum.	Sanford G. Wilcox.
Jarib S. Herrick.	Edmund H. Pitcher.
George E. Forbes.	Samuel S. Quinn.

## SURVEYORS OF LUMBER.

George E. Forbes.	Oscar B. Blake.
John W. Nye.	Jarib S. Herrick.
Henry N. Stone.	Henry L. Barrett.
Daniel P. Thompson.	Manley W. Jones.
Franklin H. Fay.	Frank W. Smith.
James H. Smith.	Fred S. Barker.
Joseph Chase.	John F. Green.
Herbert R. Raymond.	Henry I. Wyman.
Adolphus M. Ross.	Charles H. Mason.
Milan H. Johnson.	Clinton J. Smith.
Samuel S. Quinn.	Edwin E. Chase.
Freeman A. White.	William H. Reyoum.
Sanford G. Wilcox.	

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## WEIGHERS.

Herbert A. Woodward.	George H. Giffin.
Norris G. Gurnsey.	Lorin W. Towne.
Everett N. Colby.	Edward H. Newell.
Burtis L. Parkman.	Fred T. Pearson.

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## FENCE VIEWERS.

Daniel R. Cole.	Frank K. Jewett.
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## WARD OFFICERS.

## MODERATORS.

- Ward 1.—Charles G. Shedd.  
Ward 2.—Franklin H. Fay.  
Ward 3.—George F. Stone.  
Ward 4.—Fred E. Howe.  
Ward 5.—James J. White.

## CLERKS.

- Ward 1.—Ainsworth M. Nims.  
Ward 2.—Albert W. Spaulding.  
Ward 3.—Hiram F. Newell.  
Ward 4.—Edson G. Whitcomb.  
Ward 5.—John E. O'Connor.
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## SELECTMEN.

- Ward 1.—Luther B. Randall.  
Forest L. Carey.\*  
George M. Reed.†  
William J. Callahan.  
Ward 2.—Wilbur B. Knight.  
Bertram A. Powers.  
Harry G. Bottgenbach.  
Ward 3.—Frank B. Sawyer.  
Linn E. Drummer.  
George F. Kingsbury.  
Ward 4.—Frank H. Weeks.  
Don C. Quinn.  
Leston M. Barrett.  
Ward 5.—William F. Fruean.  
Albert H. Hamblet.  
John H. Shea.
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## SUPERVISORS.

- Ward 1.—James H. Goodhue.  
Ward 2.—Henry W. Nims.  
Ward 3.—Albert W. Green.  
Ward 4.—Joseph F. Emmons.  
Ward 5.—Edward P. Dee.

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\* Removed from ward.

† Appointed and duly sworn Sept. 26, 1905.

## BALLOT INSPECTORS.

- Ward 1.—Herbert A. Davis.  
William J. Callahan.  
James F. Kelley.  
James E. Heffron.
- Ward 2.—Liberty W. Foskett.  
Frederick M. Hamilton.  
George J. Bennett.  
Forrest Z. Morey.
- Ward 3.—Wilton H. Spalter.  
William C. Hall.  
William T. Winn.  
Virgil A. Wright.
- Ward 4.—Jedediah C. Estabrook.  
Daniel E. Hathorn.  
Edward Carr.  
Clarence Russell.
- Ward 5.—Charles P. Pitcher.  
George F. T. Trask.  
John H. Shea.  
James M. Coffey.



## AREA OF KEENE PUBLIC PARKS, CITY LANDS AND CEMETERIES.

Ward 1,	2,810 acres.
Ward 2,	5,275 "
Ward 3,	2,310 "
Ward 4,	8,780 "
Ward 5,	4,510 "
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Total area of Keene, 37 sq. miles,	23,685 acres.

### PARKS AND CITY LANDS.

Wheelock Park, original gift, ward 4,	23.97 acres.
Wheelock Park, addition, ward 4,	15.35 "
Ladies' Wildwood Park, ward 4,	12.25 "
Robin Hood Forest, ward 2,	81. "
City Park, ward 2,	6.13 "
Reservoir Lot, ward 2,	10.50 "
Children's Wood, ward 2,	12. "
Coolidge Park, ward 2,	1.69 "
Minister Lot, ward 2,	55.50 "
Central Park, ward 3,	.40 "
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Total parks,	218.79 acres.
City pasture, ward 1,	68.70 acres.
Sylvan Lake Lot, ward 3,	73.97 "
Stone Crusher Lot, ward 2,	14.37 "
Fairfield Land, estimated, ward 1,	18. "
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Total city lands,	175.04 acres.

## CEMETERIES.

Woodland, East, ward 2,	26.10 acres.
Woodland, West, ward 2,	12.25 "
Greenlawn, ward 2,	8. "
Washington, ward 2,	1.68 "
North, ward 4, estimated,	.75 "
West Keene, ward 5,	2.63 "
West Hill, ward 4, estimated,	.25 "
Ash Swamp, ward 5, estimated,	.10 "
Catholic, East of Main street, ward 1,	6.29 "
Catholic, West of Main street, ward 5,	12.85 "
Total cemeteries,	<u>70.90 acres.</u>

## LENGTH AND WIDTH.

Greatest length of Keene, east and west,	8.163 miles.
Greatest width of Keene, north and south,	6.562 "

AREA OF KEENE, N. H., BY WARDS, WITH AREA  
OF PARKS AND CEMETERIES.

Ward.	Total Area.	Parks.	Cemeteries.	Acreage Remaining.
1,	2,810 acres.		6 acres.	2,804
2,	5,275 "	167 acres.	48 "	5,060
3,	2,310 "	.40 "		2,309.6
4,	8,780 "	52. "	1 "	8,727
5,	4,510 "		16 "	4,494
	<u>23,685 acres.</u>	<u>219.40 acres.</u>	<u>71 acres.</u>	<u>23,394.6</u>

# RELATIVE AREA OF LAND AND WATER IN THE CITY OF KEENE.

Ward.	Land.	Water.	Total.
1,	2,773 acres.	37 acres.	2,810 acres.
2,	5,208 "	67 "	5,275 "
3,	2,255 "	55 "	2,310 "
4,	8,693 "	87 "	8,780 "
5,	4,471 "	39 "	4,510 "
<hr/> Total, 23,400 acres.		<hr/> 285 acres.	<hr/> 23,685 acres.

## POPULATION.

	Population.	Population per acre.
Ward 1,	2,488 (1900)	.859
Ward 2,	1,896	.374
Ward 3,	1,926	.833
Ward 4,	1,384	.157
Ward 5,	1,471	.327
<hr/> Total,		<hr/> .392

# APPROXIMATE AREA OF LAND OF THE CITY OF KEENE IN ROXBURY.

Land around Echo lake, including water,	820 acres.
Cota farm,	160 “
Buckminster lot,	60 “
Munsell lot,	30 “
Simpson lot,	1 “
French land,	11 “
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Total,	1,082 acres.
Area of Echo lake,	108 acres.
Area of Goose pond and lot,	74 “
Area of Goose pond and islands,	52½ “

# ALTITUDES, KEENE AND ROXBURY. ABOVE SEA LEVEL.

## ON LINE OF WATER WORKS.

Echo lake,	1,321 feet.
Upper dam, Roaring brook,	991 "
Lower dam,	738 "
Beech hill, over pipe,	866 "
Sylvan lake,	640 "
Octagon reservoir,	640 "
Beech hill reservoir,	597 "
Railroad crossing, Main street,	481 "

## HIGH LANDS IN ROXBURY.

Bassett hill,	1,639 feet.
Banks hill,	1,561 "
Parker hill,	1,630 "
Horse hill,	1,530 "
Bald hill,	1,581 "

## HIGH LANDS AROUND KEENE.

Beech hill, at Horatian tower,	1,059 feet.
Beech hill, north part	1,060 "
Floor of Horatian tower,	1,084 "
West hill, north peak,	1,168 "
West hill, south peak,	1,366 "
Stearns hill,	1,310 "
Hyland hill, in Westmoreland, near town line,	1,525 "
Gray's hill,	1,385 "
In north woods,	1,251 "
Surry mountain, near town line,	1,000 "
Surry summit, railroad,	830 "

## LENGTH OF PAVEMENTS IN THE CITY OF KEENE.

Granite block,	867 feet.	.16 miles.
Macadam,	22,840 "	4.33 "
Total pavement,	23,707 feet.	4.49 miles.
Length of concrete sidewalks,	44,615 feet.	8.45 miles.



## LENGTHS OF ROADS IN KEENE.

Including the roads in use at the present time, as well as the old main roads that are but little used, but not discontinued.

Total length of roads, 19,439 rods, or 60.75 miles.

Total length of streets, 38.32 miles.

Total length of highways, 99.07 miles.

For a brief history of the highways of Keene and a table of the lengths of the streets and roads, see Thirty-first Annual Report, pages 36 to 87.

## A LIST OF THE BRIDGES IN KEENE.

Including the location and kind of all bridges with a span of about five feet and upwards.

	Iron.	Stone.	Wood.	Total.
Ashuelot river.....	2	1	2	5
The Branch, including North and East..	1	1	5	7
Canals at South Keene.....			3	3
Ferry brook.....			3	3
Beaver brook, including cemetery.....	3		15	18
Beaver brook, old canal Sullivan road..			1	1
Wilder road and brook.....			4	4
Ash swamp brook, including meadow roads .....			4	4
White brook.....			3	3
Black brook.....	1		3	4
Chesterfield road.....			2	2
Sturtevant brook.....			1	1
Goose Pond brook.....			2	2
Dickinson brook.....			1	1
Marlboro road.....			1	1
Concord road.....	1			1
Winchester street, in addition to White brook.....			3	3

	Iron.	Stone.	Wood.	Total.
Pearl street.....			1	1
Pitcher street and meadow roads....			3	3
Eli Dort road.....			1	1
Daniels Hill road.....			1	1
Summit road.....			1	1
Wyman road.....			1	1
Court street.....			1	1
Elm street.....			1	1
Baker street.....			1	1
Branch road.....			1	1
Eveleth road.....			1	1
Total,	8	2	66	76

Of the bridges over the Branch, three cross the town line between Keene and Roxbury. Of these, the lower one is maintained by the town of Roxbury, the middle one by the city of Keene, and the upper by Keene and Roxbury jointly.

The lower bridge over the canal, or tail race, in South Keene is maintained by D. R. & F. A. Cole.

## ORDINANCES AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCILS IN 1904-05.

## CITY OF KEENE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED  
AND FOUR.

LOWELL, MASS., Dec. 13, 1904.

*To His Honor the Mayor and Members of the City  
Councils of Keene, N. H.*

I, the undersigned, administrator of the estate of the late Clarissa S. Blodgett of Keene, N. H., desire to pay over to such person or persons as shall be designated by your councils, the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100) to be known as the C. S. Blodgett fund, the interest of the same to be used for the care of lot No. 22, section 1, of Woodland cemetery of Keene, N. H. I am,

Your truly,

MORRIS S. BLODGETT,  
19 Grove street, Lowell, Mass.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the C. S. Blodgett fund.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That, whereas, Morris S. Blodgett, administrator of the estate of the late Clarissa S. Blodgett of Keene, N. H., desires to pay over to said city the sum of one hundred

dollars to be known as the C. S. Blodgett fund, the interest to be used for the care of lot No. 22 in section 1, in Woodland cemetery.

Resolved, That the city of Keene, by its councils hereby accepts said sum of one hundred dollars to be held in trust by said city forever for the above named purpose, and the city clerk is hereby authorized to receipt for the same and deposit said fund in the city treasury, in accordance with Section 6, Chapter VI, City Ordinances.

Passed December 15, 1904.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to additional appropriations.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That in addition to the sums heretofore appropriated, the following named amounts be and hereby are appropriated for the several departments specified:

Highway department,	\$1,000 00
Police department,	600 00
Quarantine expense department,	150 00
Board of prisoners committed to county jail or farm,	\$1,347 91

from any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Passed December 15, 1904.

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### CITY OF KEENE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED  
AND FIVE.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to regular meetings.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:



That the city councils meet on the first and third Thursdays of each month, at 7.30 o'clock p. m., for general business.

Passed January 3, 1905.

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AN ORDINANCE in amendment of Sections 8, 10 and 11 of Chapter XXXV of City Ordinances.

Be it ordained by the city councils of the city of Keene as follows:

Section 8 of Chapter XXXV of City Ordinances is hereby repealed and the following substituted in its place:

SECTION 8. The city marshal shall receive in full for the services rendered by him to the city, the sum of twelve hundred dollars per year, to be paid in equal monthly payments. He shall be entitled to two weeks off duty during each year of service at such time as the mayor shall determine. All fees accruing to him as marshal, constable or otherwise in connection with any criminal proceedings instituted by the city, or which are otherwise made as a charge against the city, shall be turned over and belong to the city, and he shall make no charge therefor, except that he shall be entitled to actual expenses incurred in connection with such criminal proceedings, when the city would be otherwise liable for his fees.

Section 10 of Chapter XXXV of City Ordinances is hereby repealed and the following substituted in its place:

SECTION 10. The regular pay of members of the police force shall be two dollars per day while actually employed, payable monthly. Watchmen or patrolmen detailed under Chapter II, Section 9 of City Ordinances and employed continuously shall receive two dollars and twenty-five cents per day, while actually employed, payable semi-monthly, and shall be entitled to be off duty two weeks with pay during each year of service, at such times as the marshal shall determine. All fees to which such watchmen or patrolmen become entitled as such officers or as constables or otherwise; in connection with criminal proceedings instituted by the city or otherwise made a charge against the city, shall be turned over and belong to the city and they shall make no charge therefor.

Section 11 of Chapter XXXV of City Ordinances is hereby amended, so that the same shall read as follows:

SECTION 11. The justice of the police court shall receive in full for his services as police justice, and for all duties appertaining to his office, the sum of one hundred dollars per year, to be paid in equal quarterly payments, and the usual fees of a justice of the peace, in all cases entered in said court. He shall collect and turn over to the city clerk, monthly, the taxable costs for fees accruing to the marshal as constable or otherwise or to the patrolmen or watchmen, when paid by respondents in criminal proceedings instituted by the city, rendering therewith an itemized statement of the same.

Passed January 19, 1905.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to annual appropriations.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That in accordance with the recommendation of the committee on finance, the following sums be and hereby are appropriated:

Ordinary city charges,	\$7,500 00
City paupers,	2,000 00
Highways and bridges,	10,000 00
Macadam,	2,000 00
Fire department,	5,500 00
Police department,	4,000 00
Street lights,	9,000 00
Public library, books,	500 00
Public library expense,	2,000 00
Memorial services,	175 00
Interest on sewerage bonds,	2,800 00
Interest on water bonds, loan of 1887,	1,295 00
Interest on water bonds, loan of 1891,	1,800 00
Interest on water bonds, loan of 1902,	875 00
Payment of sewerage bonds,	15,000 00
Public parks,	200 00
H. O. Coolidge annuity,	800 00

School books and supplies,	\$3,500 00
Elliot city hospital,	1,000 00
Interest on Thayer and Chapin fund,	175 00
Cemetery department,	300 00
Board of education,	240 00
Sewer department,	1,000 00
Drain department,	1,000 00
Interest on cemetery funds,	282 20
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	\$72,942 20

And that the sum of fifty-two thousand dollars be raised by taxation, and the balance be paid from any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Passed January 19, 1905.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to horses for the fire department.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the mayor, the superintendent and committee on highways of the city councils be and are hereby authorized to sell one pair of the city's horses and to purchase a suitable pair of horses for the use of the fire department, at a price not exceeding \$500.00, which sum is hereby appropriated from any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Passed February 2, 1905.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the purchase of fire hose.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the sum of one thousand dollars be and hereby is appropriated for the purchase of fire hose from any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, under the direction of the mayor and joint standing committee on fire department.

Passed February 16, 1905.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to a sign in the highway.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows :

That Sam Finkelstein is hereby granted permission to erect a sign in the highway in front of his store, in Y. M. C. A. building on West street, under the direction of the joint standing committee on streets.

Passed March 16, 1905.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to setting out trees in Greenlawn cemetery.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows :

That the joint standing committee on burial grounds be and it is hereby authorized to procure and set out fifty shade or ornamental trees in Greenlawn cemetery, and that the expense thereof be charged to the appropriation set apart for the cemetery department.

Passed March 16, 1905.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to a special driver for the fire department.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows :

That the joint resolution relating to a substitute driver, adopted May 19, 1898, is hereby repealed and the following substituted in place thereof:

That the drivers employed by the fire department shall each be entitled to a vacation in each year of two consecutive weeks without loss of pay, at such time as the chief engineer of the fire department may determine, but no driver shall have his vacation during any part of the time of the vacation of any of the other drivers; and the chief engineer of the fire department is hereby authorized and directed to employ a substitute for the drivers so absent on their vacations at an expense not to exceed thirteen dollars per week.

Passed April 6, 1905.



A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the purchase of a road machine.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the joint standing committee and superintendent of streets be and they are hereby authorized to purchase a suitable road machine the cost thereof not to exceed two hundred and fifty dollars, which sum, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated for that purpose, from any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Passed April 6, 1905.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to street sprinkling.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the joint standing committee on streets be and hereby is authorized and instructed to cause to be watered, during the current year, such public streets and places as they, in their discretion, may deem judicious.

That the superintendent of streets be and hereby is instructed to furnish the said committee with three pairs of the city's horses and drivers therefor, for the purposes aforesaid; but said horses shall always be at the absolute disposal of the proper authorities whenever required for the use of the fire department.

That the board of mayor and aldermen be and hereby is authorized and instructed to assess upon each estate abutting upon the streets and places so watered in 1904, the sum of two dollars to cover the cost of such watering, and to certify the amount of such assessments upon each estate so assessed to the collector of taxes, who shall include the same in the next tax bill issued for the annual tax on each of said estates, unless the same shall have been previously paid.

That such assessments shall be paid to the collector of taxes, and shall be due and payable on June first, next.

That the streets so designated, and no others, shall be watered during the present year; provided, however, that said committee may cause to be watered other streets, or parts of streets, in their discretion, whenever two-thirds of the abutters upon any given street or part of a street, shall so request in writing.

That in case the street watering service be extended as aforesaid, the committee aforesaid shall at once report the same to the board of mayor and aldermen, who shall proceed to assess the estates of all abutters upon such streets, or parts of streets, as hereinbefore provided, and certify the same to the collector of taxes, who shall collect the same in accordance with the provisions of this resolution hereinbefore contained.

Passed April 20, 1905.

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AN ORDINANCE in amendment of Chapters VIII and XXXV, City Ordinances.

Be it ordained by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That Section 3 of Chapter VIII be so far modified that the same shall read as follows:

SECTION 3. Each member of every company in the fire department shall receive for his services at the rate of twenty-seven dollars per year in addition to the sum allowed by law; but no member shall be paid for less than three months' service, unless sooner discharged from his company by the proper authority for cause other than his own request, nor unless he shall have performed his duties in a manner satisfactory to the company officer, and responded to all calls made upon him, or given satisfactory excuse for any failure to do so. In addition to the foregoing compensation, each fireman, or other person, who, under the direction of the board of engineers, answers a telephone or still alarm, not exceeding four persons, or performs service at a brush fire, shall receive twenty-five

cents per hour in full payment for such service. The names of such persons as may perform the foregoing services, with the place visited, time employed, and compensation due, set opposite their respective names, shall be certified, within fifteen days from the end of the month, as a payroll by the clerk of the board of engineers to the city clerk, who shall certify the same to the auditor and disburse the amount specified to the employees, taking their receipt therefor.

That Section 16 of Chapter XXXV be so far modified that the same shall read as follows:

SECTION 16. Each of the engineers of the steamer company shall receive the sum of sixty dollars per year, each of the assistant engineers twenty-five dollars per year, each of the two firemen ten dollars per year, each of the captains of the steamer and hose companies and the hook and ladder company the sum of five dollars per year, in addition to their regular pay as firemen, in full for all services rendered the fire department, annually on the first day of October.

That this ordinance shall take effect on April 1, 1905.  
Passed April 20, 1905.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to exemption from taxation.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

Whereas the Brattleboro Overall Company proposes to establish a branch of its business of making overalls in Keene which will make a new industry and furnish employment to a large number of persons;

Resolved, That the stock in trade and the capital used in carrying on the business of said company in Keene be exempt from taxation for such part of the term of ten years (10) from this date as the business of said company

of making clothing shall be actually maintained and carried on in Keene, not to exceed one hundred thousand dollars.

Passed May 4, 1905.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to a sign in the highway.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That Messrs. Gurnsey Brothers & Co., be and hereby are authorized and permitted to erect a sign over the sidewalk in Church street, in front of the entrance to the bakery, under the direction of the joint standing committee on streets.

Passed May 4, 1905.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the use of city hall.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the standing committee on city hall be and hereby is authorized to grant to John Sedgwick Post, G. A. R., the free use of city hall on the thirtieth day of May, 1905, for the purpose of holding Memorial services; and the free use of the same for an entertainment to be given by the Sons of Veterans, under the auspices of said post, on the evening of the date above named.

Passed May 4, 1905.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the Ingersoll fountain.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the joint standing committee on parks cause the Ingersoll fountain to be put in suitable condition, replacing worn out pipes, and painted, at a cost of thirty dollars, which sum is hereby appropriated for that purpose from any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Passed May 4, 1905.



AN ORDINANCE in amendment of Section 2, Chapter III, City Ordinances.

Be it ordained by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That Section 2 of Chapter III be amended by adding the following thereto:

The superintendent shall, when ordered by the board of mayor and aldermen, to repair any highway or street, give at least thirty days' notice, in writing, to all parties having pipes, conduits or other property beneath the surface of such street, of such order, that repairs upon water, sewer, drain and gas pipes, or electric or telephone conduits may be made before said highway or street may be repaired or macadamized; and when such repairs shall have been made, said highway or street shall not be disturbed or excavations made, except by permission of the board of mayor and aldermen, but in cases of emergency the mayor may give permission to make repairs upon pipes or conduits beneath the streets, under the direction of the superintendent of streets, and he may, at his discretion, cause said parties making such repairs, to give a suitable bond to leave the highway after such repairs have been made in a condition satisfactory to the superintendent of streets.

Passed May 4, 1905.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to a discount on taxes.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the tax collector be and he hereby is authorized and instructed to allow a discount of two per centum on all taxes assessed the present year which shall be paid on or before August 1, 1905.

Passed May 18, 1905.



A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to a contract for lighting the streets.

Be it resolved by the city councils of Keene, as follows:

That the joint standing committee on street lights be and hereby is authorized to enter into a contract with the Citizens Electric Company for lighting the streets of the city for a term of five years, such contract to embody and contain the provisions of the offer in the name of the said company reported on May 4 to the city councils by said committee, excepting the provision for furnishing locations for poles and wires; which may be the subject of future action by the mayor and aldermen, such contract to be made subject to the approval of the city councils when reported to them in a complete draft.

Passed May 18, 1905.

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AN ORDINANCE relating to garbage.

Be it ordained by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

SECTION 1. That the limits of the garbage precinct of the city of Keene hereby constituted shall be as follows: Beginning at the southeast corner of the Hotel Ellis; thence northerly on Main street to Central square; thence westerly on the south line of West street to St. James street; thence easterly on said West street to Central square; thence northerly to Winter street; thence westerly on the south line of said Winter street to Middle street; thence easterly on said Winter street to Central square; thence northerly on Court street to Summer street; thence on the south line of said Summer street to Middle street; thence easterly to said Court street; thence northerly to Mechanic street; thence easterly on the north line of said Mechanic street to Washington street; thence on the easterly line of said Washington street to Central square, including a portion of Elm street and Vernon street throughout its entire length; thence on the easterly side of said Central square

to Roxbury street; thence on said Roxbury street to Norway avenue; thence on the south side of said Roxbury street to said Central square; thence on the easterly side of Main street to Church street; thence on the northerly side of said Church street to 93d street; thence on the southerly side of said Church street to Main street; thence on the easterly side of Main street to the southwest corner of the Eagle Hotel. It shall be the duty of all persons residing within the garbage precinct of the city who desire to have garbage or refuse matter removed by the city, to place the same in suitable receptacles, carefully separating all paper and other combustible material from the ashes and noncombustible material and placing them in different receptacles. No brush, old lumber, or other similar things which cannot be placed in a receptacle shall be put into the highway.

SECT. 2. The superintendent of streets may make such rules and regulations not inconsistent with the provisions of Section No. 1 of this ordinance, in regard to the placing of garbage in the street for collection, and the collection of the same, as he thinks proper.

SECT. 3. Any violation of the provisions of this ordinance or of the rules and regulations made by the superintendent of streets in pursuance hereof shall be punished by a fine not exceeding ten dollars (\$10.00).

SECT. 4. This ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

Rules for the removal of waste material as adopted by the superintendent of streets (subject to the approval of the city councils).

RULE 1. Ashes and waste material when placed in barrels or other suitable receptacles that can be conveniently handled by two men will be removed on every Wednesday by the highway department.

RULE 2. No barrels or other receptacles containing garbage or other perishable and objectionable material will be taken and no material of any kind will be taken that

is not in such receptacles as above described or tied in bundles or packed in such manner that it can be handled by two men. All paper and pasteboard shall be tied in bundles or placed in receptacles separate from other waste material.

RULE 3. Any person placing in the highways, on the sidewalks or on the traveled way any waste material not contained or held in the above described receptacles or containing garbage or other objectionable material will be notified by the superintendent of streets to remove the same and if said material is not removed by the person so placing it, it shall be removed by the highway department and the expense thereof shall be collected from the person so placing it, in accordance with the laws of the state and the ordinances of the city.

Passed May 18, 1905.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to approval of contract for street lighting.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the draft of the contract between the city and the Citizens Electric Company for furnishing the public lighting submitted by the joint standing committee on street lights be and hereby is approved and said committee is hereby authorized and empowered to sign said contract on behalf of the city.

Passed May 25, 1905.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to city reports.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the joint standing committee on printing be and it is hereby authorized and instructed to cause a sufficient number of annual reports to be printed, which shall contain the report of the proceedings of the inauguration of

the city government in January last, with such joint resolutions and ordinances as have since been passed, together with the reports of the finance committee, city officers who are required to report, and such other matter as may hereafter be ordered by the board of mayor and aldermen; and, also, such portion of the vital statistics of the town of Keene, heretofore unpublished, in such form and number of copies as said committee may deem expedient; and that a sufficient number be bound in cloth for the use of city officers, and in leather for exchange.

Passed June 1, 1905.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to a drain in Island street.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the sum of \$572.90 be and hereby is appropriated from any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated for a drain in Island street.

Passed June 1, 1905.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the appropriation of school money.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the money by law assessed in the city of Keene for support of schools the present year, amounting to the sum of twenty thousand three hundred two dollars and fifty cents, the literary fund of nine hundred fourteen dollars and ten cents, the unexpended balance of the income of the Salma Hale fund, amounting to the sum of eighteen dollars, and the unexpended balance of the dog license fees, of nine hundred forty-four dollars and sixteen cents, making a total of twenty-two thousand one hundred seventy-eight dollars and seventy-six cents, be appropriated for the support of the schools in union school district.

Passed June 1, 1905.



A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to a sign in the highway.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That E. M. Flint be granted permission to erect a sign in front of the City Pharmacy, in accordance with the report of the joint standing committee on streets and under the direction of said committee.

Passed June 1, 1905.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the fire and police stations.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the joint standing committee on lands and buildings cause new floors to be laid in three apartments of the fire station, at an expense not exceeding \$235, and cause to be repaired, improved and properly ventilated the police station, in the city hall building, at an expense not exceeding \$225, which several sums are hereby appropriated for said purposes from any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Passed June 15, 1905.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to dividends received from the Cheshire Provident Institution.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the sum received from the Cheshire Provident Institution, belonging to several city funds, amounting in all to the sum of \$1,503.90, be disposed of as follows: that the sum of \$1,330.50 be deposited in a savings bank to the credit of the water loan sinking fund; that the sum of \$71.40 (cemetery funds) remain in the city treasury as allowed by law; that the sum of \$51 be deposited to the



credit of the Ingersoll Library fund, and the sum of \$51 be deposited to the credit of the Ingersoll Ladies' Park fund, in the Cheshire County Savings Bank.

Passed June 15, 1905.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to garbage.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars be and hereby is appropriated for the expense of removing garbage from the garbage precinct, the present year, and the further sum of one hundred and twenty-five dollars for the purchase of a suitable cart for that purpose.

Passed June 15, 1905.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the Symonds fund.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the joint standing committee on finance and the city treasurer reinvest the proceeds of the Carrie M. Davis mortgage, and require a suitable amount of insurance to be placed on the buildings, in the interest of the city of Keene.

Passed June 15, 1905.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to free public band concerts.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the sum of four hundred dollars be and hereby is appropriated from any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, to the Keene Military Band Aid Association for the purpose and aid of free public band concerts.

Passed June 15, 1905.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to adjournment.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That when these bodies adjourn, it be to meet on the first Thursday of September next, at 7.30 o'clock p. m., unless otherwise ordered by the mayor.

Passed June 15, 1905.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to horses for the fire department.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows;

That the joint resolution passed on Feb. 2, 1905, entitled, a joint resolution relating to horses for the fire department, be amended by substituting \$600 for \$500 in the third line thereof, so that the same shall read, as follows:

That the mayor, the superintendent and committee on highways of the city councils be and are hereby authorized to sell one pair of the city's horses and to purchase a suitable pair of horses for the use of the fire department, at a price not exceeding \$600, which sum is hereby appropriated from any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Passed June 15, 1905.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to repairs of concrete walks and cross walks.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the sum of one thousand dollars be and it is hereby appropriated from any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the repairs of concrete walks and cross walks, under the direction of the city's consulting engineer, the superintendent and joint standing committee on streets.

Passed July 6, 1905.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to a sign in the highway.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That Clarence E. Stickney be granted permission to remove his sign from No. 15 Church street to No. 28 Roxbury street.

Passed September 7, 1905.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to an extension of water main in Page street.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the water commissioners be authorized to extend the water main northerly in Page street to the house owned by George W. Clyde, and that the sum of \$475 be and hereby is appropriated from any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated for that purpose.

Passed September 7, 1905.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to exemption from taxation.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That, whereas the Newburyport Silver Company proposes to establish its business of making silver ware in Keene, which will make a new industry and furnish employment to a large number of persons; Resolved, That the stock in trade and the capital used in carrying on the business of said company in Keene be exempt from taxation for such part of the term of ten years from this date as the business of said company of making silver ware shall be actually maintained and carried on in Keene, not to exceed the sum of one hundred thousand dollars.

Passed September 7, 1905.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to a sign in the highway.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That permission be granted Henry R. Dort to erect a sign in front of shop No. 30 Roxbury street under the direction of the joint standing committee on streets.

Passed September 7, 1905.

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KEENE, N. H., August 24, 1905.

*To the City Councils of the City of Keene:*

I hereby tender the sum of one hundred dollars for a cemetery fund, the income to be expended for the care of my lot in Woodland cemetery.

ADDISON L. PARKER.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the Addison L. Parker cemetery fund.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the city of Keene by its councils hereby accepts the sum of one hundred dollars in trust, the income to be used in the care of lot owned by Addison L. Parker in Woodland cemetery, and that the city clerk be authorized to receipt for said sum and deposit the same in the city treasury in accordance with the provisions of Sect. 6, Chapter VI, City Ordinances.

Passed September 7, 1905.

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KEENE, August 1, 1905.

*To the Honorable Mayor and Board of Aldermen of Keene:*

Gentlemen:—It is the wish of Ellen M. Lang to give to the city of Keene two hundred dollars in trust, the use and income of which shall be applied in keeping in repair my burial lot in Woodland cemetery, lot No. 18, Sect. 4.

ELLEN M. LANG.

I am now prepared to pay this legacy and will do so upon receiving notice from you of its acceptance.

C. A. CHAPIN,

Admr. of estate of G. N. Lang.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the Ellen M. Lang cemetery fund.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the city of Keene by its councils hereby accepts the sum of two hundred dollars in trust, the income to be used in the care of lot No. 18, Sect. 4, Woodland cemetery, owned by Ellen M. Lang, and that the city clerk be authorized to receipt for the same and deposit said sum in the city treasury in accordance with Sect. 6, Chapter VI, City Ordinances.

Passed September 7, 1905.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to additional appropriations.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That in addition to the sums heretofore appropriated, the following named sums be appropriated for the departments named, from any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Fire department, for uniforms,	\$125 00
Fire department, for expenses of inspection,	60 00
Quarantine expenses,	250 00
Drains,	250 00
Ordinary city charges,	2,000 00

Passed September 21, 1905.

KEENE, N. H., September 13, 1905.

*To the City Councils:*

I desire to give to the city the sum of one hundred dollars, the income to be used in taking care of the Mortimer W. Bond lot No. 199 in Greenlawn cemetery.

MORTIMER W. BOND.



A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the Mortimer W. Bond cemetery fund.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the city of Keene, by its councils, hereby accepts the sum of one hundred dollars from Mortimer W. Bond, in trust, the income thereof only to be used in the care of his lot numbered 199 in Greenlawn cemetery, and the city clerk is hereby authorized to receipt for the same and deposit said sum in the city treasury in accordance with the provisions of Sect. 6, Chapter VI, City Ordinances.

Passed September 21, 1905.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to signs in the highway.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That Alexander Bruder and Napoleon Fortier be permitted to erect signs on Main and Railroad streets, respectively, under the direction of the joint standing committee on streets.

Passed September 21, 1905.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION exempting from taxation a manufacturing plant to be erected by Fred A. Carpenter.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

Whereas Fred A. Carpenter proposes to erect on Ralston street, in the city of Keene, a plant for the manufacture of celluloid combs or other articles of like nature, including a brick building, 42x60 feet, which, together with the machinery and stock in trade to be used therein, will cost in the vicinity of \$7,500.00.

Resolved, That said manufacturing plant, the stock in trade, and the capital used in operating said plant, be

exempt from taxation for the term of ten years from this date to an amount not exceeding twenty thousand dollars.

Passed September 21, 1905.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to a fire alarm box at the Elliot City Hospital.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the joint standing committee on fire department procure and install a suitable fire alarm box at the Elliot City Hospital, on the outside of the building.

Passed October 5, 1905.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to garbage wagon.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the sum of fifty dollars be and hereby is appropriated from any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the purchase of suitable runners for the garbage wagon, under the direction of the joint standing committee on streets.

Passed October 19, 1905.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to opera chairs for city hall.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the sum of nine hundred and eighteen dollars be and hereby is appropriated for the purchase of opera chairs for city hall, under the direction of the committee, from any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Passed November 2, 1905.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the income on the Simmons and Eastburn fund.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the income derived from the Simmons and Eastburn fund, amounting to \$57.29, be appropriated from any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, to be divided among the poor and infirm aged persons of the city, in accordance with the provisions of the trust, by the board of mayor and aldermen.

Passed November 2, 1905.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to additional appropriations.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That in addition to the several sums heretofore appropriated, the following named sums be and hereby are appropriated for the departments named:

Highway department,	\$1,000 00
Police department,	600 00
Public library expense,	100 00
Parks,	50 00
Ballot inspectors,	46 00
Concrete construction,	175 00

and that the same be paid from any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Passed November 2, 1905.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to numbering buildings.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That Engineer Samuel Wadsworth be and is hereby authorized and instructed to affix numbers to buildings

not heretofore numbered, on such basis of frontage as shall seem to him to be best, and record the same by plans in the office of the city clerk.

Passed November 2, 1905.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to signs in the highway.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That Charles L. Wiswall be permitted to erect a sign in front of store No. 15 Roxbury street, and that J. F. Gallagher be permitted to erect a sign in front of his place of business in Petts' block, on Church street, under the direction of the joint standing committee on streets.

Passed November 2, 1905.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to exemption from taxation.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That, whereas, the Lancaster Shoe Co., proposes to purchase and equip a factory, for the manufacture of shoes, formerly owned by the C. B. Lancaster Shoe Company, on Dunbar street in said Keene.

Resolved, That such manufacturing establishment, including the real estate, machinery and stock in trade, and the capital used in operating the same, not to exceed in all the sum of one hundred thousand dollars, be exempt from taxation as to said Lancaster Shoe Co., its successors and assigns, while the same shall be in actual operation for the purposes aforesaid, for the period of ten years from the first day of April, 1906.

Passed November 13, 1905.

*To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Keene:*

Respectfully represents John P. Rust of said Keene that for the better prosecution of his business on Water street in said Keene, he is desirous of erecting a bridge over and across said Water street between his factory and storehouse. This bridge, if permission is granted, will be at least, fourteen feet above said Water street, will be built of iron and of sufficient strength to prevent all accidents, and will greatly enlarge his facilities for transacting his business.

Wherefore he prays your Honorable Body that leave may be granted him to erect and maintain said bridge substantially on the basis of the plan herewith filed.

J. P. Rust.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to a bridge over and across Water street.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That John P. Rust be given license to construct, keep and maintain a suitable iron bridge over and across Water street, to connect his factory and store house, said bridge to be not less than fourteen feet above the grade of said Water street, in accordance with a plan herewith submitted, marked, "Scale 1 in.=8 feet. Samuel Wadsworth. Aug. 1905," said license to be revocable at any time the city councils may deem it advisable, and it is granted upon the further condition that said Rust agree to indemnify the city of Keene and save it harmless from all damage, cost and expense to which it may in any way become liable by reason of the construction, maintenance and operation of said bridge.

Passed November 16, 1905.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the Rachel C. Woodward cemetery fund.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:



That the city of Keene by its councils hereby accepts the sum of one hundred dollars from F. A. Woodward, the amount named in a paper purporting to be the will of the said Rachel C. Woodward, to be held in trust and the income thereof only to be used in caring for her lot in Woodland cemetery. The city clerk is hereby authorized to receipt for said sum and deposit the same in the city treasury in accordance with the provisions of Sec. 6, Chapter VI, City Ordinances.

Passed December 7, 1905.

# ANNUAL REPORTS.



## REPORT OF THE CITY TREASURER.

*To the Honorable Mayor and City Councils:*

I herewith present my report as city treasurer for the term from December 1, 1904, to January 10, 1905.

### RECEIPTS.

Balance in treasury, Dec. 1, 1904,	\$37,822 38
A. M. Nims, collector, taxes, 1904,	9,800 00
A. M. Nims, collector, water,	6,300 00
F. H. Whitcomb, city clerk,	386 75
W. S. Tuttle, fines and costs,	8 76
B. G. Hall, police department,	27 25
E. A. Nims, superintendent highway department,	45 95
P. F. Babbidge, superintendent,	515 92
W. E. Mason, superintendent,	385 65
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	\$55,292 66

### DISBURSEMENTS.

City orders,	\$24,687 82
Balance in treasury,	30,604 84
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	\$55,292 66

Respectfully submitted,

A. L. WRIGHT,  
Treasurer.

## REPORT OF THE CITY TREASURER.

*To the Honorable Mayor and City Councils:*

I herewith present my report as city treasurer for the term from January 10, to December 1, 1905.

### RECEIPTS.

Balance in treasury, Jan. 10, 1905,	\$30,604	84
A. M. Nims, collector, taxes, 1900,	124	32
A. M. Nims, collector, taxes, 1901,	224	57
A. M. Nims, collector, taxes, 1902,	572	40
A. M. Nims, collector, taxes, 1903,	1,451	68
A. M. Nims, collector, taxes, 1904,	8,769	21
A. M. Nims, collector, taxes, 1905,	82,456	73
A. M. Nims, collector, water rates,	17,777	71
A. M. Nims, collector, street sprinkling,	1,100	00
W. E. Mason, cemetery collections,	1,304	79
Frank H. Whitcomb, city clerk,	7,226	08
Paul F. Babbidge, water department,	\$1,220	62
Paul F. Babbidge, sewer department,	400	48
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J. F. Emmons, rent city hall,	1,284	00
W. J. Wheelock, rent city hall,	399	20
W. S. Tattle, fines and costs,	91	12
B. G. Hall, police department,	196	00
L. W. Holmes, police court fines,	703	00
E. H. Fletcher, pauper account,	\$4,389	62



E. H. Fletcher, dependent soldiers' account,	\$305 15	
	<u>          </u>	\$4,694 77
W. R. Porter, city treasurer, dividends from savings banks on various funds,		1,820 31
L. Wellington, plumbers license,		3 50
T. J. Locke, sale lawn mower,		1 50
New Hampshire License Commission,		6,234 67
Solon A. Carter, state treasurer of insurance tax,	\$680 25	
Solon A. Carter, state treasurer of railroad tax,	6,925 07	
Solon A. Carter, state treasurer of savings bank tax,	2,953 85	
Solon A. Carter, state treasurer of literary fund, tax,	865 70	
	<u>          </u>	11,424 87
		<u>          </u>
		\$180,086 37

## DISBURSEMENTS.

City orders,	\$138,054 37	
Balance in treasury,	42,032 00	
	<u>          </u>	
		\$180,086 37

Respectfully submitted,

W. R. PORTER,  
Treasurer.

## REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

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The joint standing committee on finance respectfully lay before the city councils the following statement of all receipts and expenditures from December 1, 1904, to December 1, 1905, together with a schedule of the property, real and personal, belonging to the city, and the value thereof, and the amount of the city debt.

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### EXPENDITURES.

#### ORDINARY CITY CHARGES.

Balance from last year,	\$958 06
Appropriation,	7,500 00
Additional appropriation,	2,000 00
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	\$10,458 06
Paid James S. Taft, salary, mayor,	\$500 00
Frank H. Whitcomb, salary, city clerk,	800 00
John E. Allen, solicitor, salary,	50 00
John E. Allen, complaints and warrants,	384 00
Joseph F. Emmons, salary, city messenger,	400 00
Charles H. Hersey, salary, auditor,	200 00
Lewis W. Holmes, salary, police justice,	100 00
Arthur L. Wright, salary, treasurer,	12 50
Walter R. Porter, salary, treasurer,	37 50
Herbert O. Wardwell, salary, clerk of common council,	50 00

Paid Ainsworth M. Nims, salary, tax collector,	\$400 00
Daniel R. Cole, salary, assessor,	140 00
Henry W. Nims, salary, assessor,	140 00
Frank K. Jewett, salary, assessor,	140 00
Sylvanus A. Morse, services, assistant assessor,	60 00
Leonard Wellington, salary, member of board of health,	75 00
H. K. Faulkner, salary, member of board of health,	37 50
Charles G. Shedd, salary, member of board of health,	75 00
Frank D. Worcester, salary, member of board of health,	37 50
Charles G. Shedd, salary, moderator,	2 00
Franklin H. Fay, salary, moderator,	2 00
George F. Stone, salary, moderator,	2 00
Fred E. Howe, salary, moderator,	2 00
Robert J. Patten, salary, moderator,	2 00
Ainsworth M. Nims, salary, clerk, and reports,	7 00
Albert W. Spaulding, salary, clerk, and reports,	7 00
Hiram F. Newell, salary, clerk, and reports,	7 00
Walter T. Nims, salary, clerk, and reports,	7 00
John E. O'Connor, salary, clerk, and reports,	7 00
George B. Wheelock, salary, selectman,	5 00
George M. Reed and Carl C. Pearson, salary, selectmen,	5 00
Luther B. Randall, salary, selectman,	5 00
Wilbur B. Knight, salary, selectman,	5 00
Bertram A. Powers, salary, selectman,	5 00
Oliver P. Murdick, salary, selectman,	5 00

Paid William H. Cross, salary, selectman,	\$5 00
Royal V. Bryant, salary, selectman,	5 00
Frank B. Sawyer, salary, selectman,	5 00
Walter C. Ellis, salary, selectman,	5 00
Frank H. Weeks, salary, selectman,	5 00
Clarence L. Wheeler, salary, selectman,	5 00
Albert H. Hamblet, salary, selectman,	5 00
William F. Fruean, salary, selectman,	5 00
James H. Goodhue, supervisor,	12 50
John P. Flanagan, supervisor,	20 00
Henry W. Nims, supervisor,	52 50
Loren W. Adams, supervisor,	25 00
Joseph F. Emmons, supervisor,	40 00
Albert W. Green, supervisor,	50 00
Edward P. Dee, supervisor,	7 50
Clergymen and others, reporting marriages,	20 25
Physicians and others, reporting births and deaths,	85 00
Lewis W. Holmes, justice fees,	781 04
Frank H. Baldwin, use of ward room,	20 00
Keene Gas & Electric Company, gas and electric lighting,	568 59
George H. Staples, witness fees,	9 24
Charles H. Bridgman, goods,	1 60
Hiram T. Houghton, hack hire,	75
William H. Philbrick, witness fees,	6 16
Frank H. Whitcomb, express, postage, reporting statistics, etc.,	186 93
Robert E. Tolman, witness fees,	16 17
J. P. Wellman, postage,	48 00
David W. Mitchell, curtain man,	66 50
Edson C. Eastman, record books,	10 00
G. H. Aldrich & Sons, insurance, city hall,	31 38
C. B. Perry & Sons, insurance, city hall,	31 38

Paid Jed. C. Estabrook, preparing polling places, etc.,	\$24 20
Keene Water Works, water for stores,	34 40
Harry E. Thornton, stage man,	80 80
Mason Insurance Agency, insurance, city hall,	138 75
Fred E. Howe, illustrations,	1 00
George F. Little, stage man,	88 00
Keene Auto-cycle Co., use of ward room,	10 00
American Express Co., express on reports,	1 90
William J. Wheelock, stage man,	45 50
Herman C. Rice, labor,	1 95
Knowlton & Stone, goods,	21 32
Benjamin G. Hall, fees,	859 99
Nims, Whitney & Co., goods,	2 11
New England Telephone & Telegraph Co., instruments and tolls,	32 54
Aldrich & Dutton, goods,	1 15
Sentinel Printing Co., printing and advertising,	986 30
G. H. Tilden & Co., goods,	36 86
Forrest L. Carey, goods,	6 92
Burtis L. Parkman, witness fees,	4 62
Goodnow & Aldrich Co., goods,	6 52
William VanNess, stage man,	30 35
Fitzgerald & Heavy, plumbing,	2 50
Wyman Lawrence, witness fees,	3 85
Frank X. Harmon, witness fees,	77
Harry F. Buckminster, witness fees,	3 08
N. J. Woodfall, witness fees,	3 29
G. S. Lawrence, witness fees,	3 29
A. B. Skinner Co., goods,	1 35
J. A. Whiting, repairs of typewriters,	2 70
Leon M. Willard, repairs, etc.,	22 22
Cassius M. White, repairs, etc.,	105 91



Paid Edward H. Fletcher, rent of dump- ing ground,	\$50 00
Central Pharmacy, goods,	2 00
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight,	25
J. & F. French, use of ward room,	20 00
George A. Robertson & Co., paper,	4 25
Spencer Hardware Co., coal,	149 45
Hotel Ellis, use of ward room,	10 00
Darling & Co., printing,	2 50
William S. Tuttle, officer's fees,	18 23
George F. Ball, insurance, city hall,	23 00
F. S. Webster Co., typewriter supplies,	9 00
Joseph F. Emmons, cleaning rooms,	36 67
George H. Giffin, wood and coal,	328 30
J. D. Colony & Sons, printing and advertising,	57 00
Keene Directory Co., books,	3 00
William J. Wheelock, cleaning rooms,	2 50
Joseph Madden, counsel fees,	5 00
Pearson Bros., repairs,	56 82
Charles S. Wright, witness fees,	21 56
George M. Rossman, repairs, etc.,	19 19
W. P. Chamberlain Co., carpet,	1 42
Jacob Latavala, witness fee,	1 37
Walter R. Porter, treasurer's books and express,	7 70
A. E. Fish & Co., screens and repairs,	1 15
Frank T. Vaughan, counsel fees,	5 00
Wilton H. Spalter, goods,	24 87
Frank H. Whitcomb, copies of records required by State, Laws of 1905,	343 60
N. G. Gurnsey & Co., board of J. R. Kelley,	15 64
Frank E. Wood, pens,	3 00
Kirk & Sewall, repairs, etc.,	17 71
James Carroll, stone work, etc.,	14 15
Charles C. Buffum, copies of convey- ance,	5 00

Paid Harry M. Wilder, teams,	\$3 00	
F. C. & L. A. Nims, teams,	4 00	
E. W. French & Co., goods,	50	
Casper Finkelstein, license revoked,	11 11	
W. E. Wright, repairs,	2 50	
John E. Allen, solicitor, settlement G.		
C. Young case,	125 00	
Water and Sewer Department, labor,		
etc.,	12 95	
Samuel Wadsworth, services, engineer,		
plans, etc.,	76 10	
M. E. Harlow, witness fee,	77	
		\$9,903 89
Balance to new account,		\$554 17

## CITY PAUPERS.

Balance from last year,	\$1,018 43	
Appropriation,	2,000 00	
Dividend, O'Donnell fund,	99 46	
		\$3,117 89

Paid Edward H. Fletcher, salary and of-		
fice rent,	\$275 00	
John D. Proctor, salary, physician,	25 00	
Charles S. Walker, salary, physician,	75 00	
Henry S. Stevens, groceries,	7 41	
Highway Department, drawing wood,	3 25	
Ellen Hanley, support of self,	72 00	
Boston Branch Grocery, groceries,	7 82	
County of Cheshire, care of city poor,	255 20	
New Hampshire State Hospital, care		
of Annie McCarthy Brown,	114 73	
Frank H. Whitcomb, affidavits,	1 50	
Ferdinand Petts, rent, Mrs. Hanley,	144 00	

Paid Charles Wilber &amp; Son, rent, Mrs. C.

C. Parker,	\$80 00
John D. Proctor, affidavits,	2 50
A. S. & E. A. Bailey, support of selves,	84 00
Oscar W. Spaulding, support of self,	108 00
Charles H. Bridgman, groceries,	4 00
Martin V. B. Clark, groceries,	2 00
Stone & Smith, groceries,	4 00
Daniel R. Cole, expenses, Alice Parker,	33 98
Wilton H. Spalter, goods,	1 58
Mrs. Charles Burns, support of Mrs. Ryan,	70 00
Charles Warren, provisions,	13 30
Alfred E. Yeates, goods, Alice Parker,	10 05
Albert Vigneau, rent, Mrs. P. Bowen,	14 00
Edward H. Fletcher, expenses, Mrs. Eugenia Claywood,	12 00
George E. Holbrook & Co., groceries,	2 00
Edward H. Fletcher, moving Alice Parker,	2 50
Mrs. P. Gaudette, rent, Mrs. P. Bowen,	6 00
Spencer Hardware Co., coal,	3 75
Leander Page, milk, Mrs. P. Bowen,	87
Charles W. Wyman, provisions,	4 00
Forrest L. Carey, groceries,	2 00
Sumner Baker, support of self,	4 00
Elizabeth A. Bailey, support of self,	18 00
O. J. Howard & Co., goods, etc.,	10 00
George H. Giffin, wood,	50
F. H. Wright & Co., goods,	1 75
Mrs. C. C. Parker, support of self,	8 00
Elliot City Hospital, care of poor,	48 22

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 \$1,531 91

Balance to new account,

\$1,585 98

## COUNTY PAUPERS.

Paid Mary O'Neil, support of self,	\$48 00
Patrick Hickey, support of self,	48 00
Mrs. Mark W. Barron, support of self,	152 00
Mrs. Everett Newell, support of self,	96 00
Mary M. Crouch, support of self,	60 00
Hattie L. P. Hastings, support of self,	96 00
W. N. Ayers, milk, Nimmo, Eno and Kelleher,	26 43
Abbie Howard, support of Sullivan children,	192 00
Catharine B. Hastings, support of self,	96 00
Mrs. Arbella Robinson, support of self,	78 00
Grace Brennan, care of Mrs. Frank Burchum,	72 00
Kate Lamson, support of self,	128 00
Kate Donovan, support of self,	60 00
Henry S. Stevens, groceries,	55 63
Mrs. William I. Woods, support of self,	78 00
Highway Department, drawing wood,	42 70
Ella H. King, support of self,	96 00
Emily Blanchard, support of self,	120 00
Margaret Southwick, support of self,	48 00
Isaac Champaigne, support of Mary Champaigne,	72 00
Mrs. Abner Sprague, support of self,	160 00
Mary Winn, support of Mary Bigelow,	52 06
Mrs. William Winn, support of Nellie Mahar,	64 92
Mrs. E. W. Hadley, support of self,	78 20
Mrs. H. W. Bond, rent, Mrs. Cummings,	42 00
Isabel Carney, support of self,	64 00

Paid Katharine F. Leverett, rent of Mrs. Glynn,	\$84 00
Marshal M. Pierce, care of Ida Pierce,	78 20
Boston Branch Grocery, groceries,	58 74
Cassius M. White, care of Esther Whitcomb,	78 20
Nims Bros. & Co., provisions,	15 78
Darwin C. Fogg, rent, Mrs. C. Britton,	8 25
Faulkner & Colony Mfg. Co., rent, Timothy Curran,	55 00
Minnie Sullivan, care Mary Bigelow,	194 00
Elliot City Hospital, care of poor,	421 36
Humphrey Machine Co. rent, Mrs. C. Burns,	15 00
W. P. Chamberlain, rent, Mrs. Griffith and Mrs. Rice,	121 75
W. P. Chamberlain Co., goods,	6 96
Leon W. Foster, milk, Mrs. Burton Towns,	35 55
C. W. Hubbard, rent, Ed. Willard,	75 00
Abbie M. Newman, rent, Mrs. George Nimmo,	31 00
Mrs. F. O. Nims, rent, Mrs. Clasby and Mrs. Erickson,	102 00
Dennis Callahan, milk, Mrs. Donovan,	17 28
Bertram Ellis, rent, Mrs. I. Carney,	96 00
Stephen K. Stone, milk, Timothy Curran,	20 04
Charles W. Wyman, provisions,	11 40
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight,	15 05
Charles H. Parkhurst, sawing wood,	2 25
Spencer Hardware Co., coal,	59 60
F. H. Wright & Co., goods,	7 35
Forrest L. Carey, groceries,	50 96
Warren B. Fitch, rent, Mrs. Seavey,	60 00
Charles M. Cummings, shoes,	9 75



Paid Charles Warren, provisions,	\$15 40
John P. Rust, wood,	57 00
Cheshire Creamery, supplies,	5 30
M. H. Hill, groceries,	4 58
Etta M. Woodward, support of self,	6 00
Charles H. Bridgman, groceries,	25 00
M. J. Callahan, rent, Mrs. J. Leary and children,	30 00
Martin V. B. Clark, groceries,	38 85
Eli Chabott, groceries,	4 00
Mrs. W. H. Jones, rent, Patrick Wall,	6 50
John M. Duffy, shoes,	6 75
Jesse Dart Estate, rent, Mrs. Britton,	57 25
William Brown, rent, C. H. Alford,	32 00
Levi M. Morse, sawing wood,	2 25
Stone & Smith, groceries,	51 77
Fred S. Guillow, care of Wright boy,	5 00
O. J. Howard & Co., goods, etc.,	44 00
George Hopkins, sawing wood,	1 25
C. Auger, digging grave,	7 00
E. H. Fletcher, expenses, Clara Park- man,	10 00
George E. Holbrook & Co., groceries,	35 45
Mrs. Nelson Liscord, support of self,	3 00
Mrs. P. Gaudette, rent, Mrs. P. Bowen,	6 00
Winslow F. Harris, shoes,	5 50
John W. Dinagan, rent, Ira Brown,	22 00
Mrs. Joseph Laporte, support of self,	32 00
Walter E. Mason, burials,	3 00
F. A. Garfield, support of Mrs. Golden,	23 15
Nellie J. Fitch, care of Castor child,	7 84
George H. Giffin, wood,	5 00
James S. Taft, rent, Sharkey,	14 00
Edward H. Bartlett, rent, Stromgren,	18 00
Charles H. Bridgman, goods,	18 00
Sarah Sharkey, support of self,	10 00

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\$4,469 35

Paid city treasurer on account of Alice Parker,	\$5 00
On account of rent returned.	7 00

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### HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation,	\$10,000 00
Additional appropriation,	1,000 00
Additional appropriation,	1,000 00
Rent city pasture,	40 00
From street sprinkling assessment, 255 days,	1,020 00
Keeping horses, fire department, 52 weeks,	260 00
Answering 16 alarms, fire department,	168 00
Packing and unpacking hydrants, fire department,	9 00
Labor for water department,	77 50
Labor for drain department,	77 69
Gravel sold,	2 90
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	\$13,655 09
Paid account overdrawn,	\$381 77
Elmer A. Nims, salary, superintendent,	750 00
Frank H. Whitcomb, weekly pay-rolls,	7,891 02
Frank H. Baldwin, goods,	42 50
E. A. Messier, goods,	6 00
Joseph Chase, gravel,	11 90
Saunders & Gorman, shoeing,	28 55
C. S. Carlin, shoeing,	47 27
D. R. & F. A. Cole, grain,	218 90
Milton Blake, gravel,	4 50
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight,	10 93
Rufus S. Graves, work with team,	18 00
Clarence N. Holman, work with team,	2 75

Paid Henry W. Woodbury, gravel,	\$2 10
Henry W. Nims, railing poles and gravel,	6 20
Mary Ellis, gravel,	32 10
Faulkner & Colony Mfg. Co., gravel,	2 20
Herman C. Rice, work,	3 10
Knowlton & Stone, goods,	142 08
J. Whitney Buckminster, gravel,	20 40
Amasa O. Amadon, gravel and sand,	9 05
Clinton P. Bugbee, services,	14 75
Alfred E. Barnard, repairs, etc.,	51 80
Young Jones, shoeing,	31 95
Nims, Whitney & Co., lumber,	7 59
Reuben Ray, repairs, etc.,	108 64
Thomas M. Aldrich, hay,	44 73
Sentinel Printing Co., printing,	10 00
George H. Eames, grain,	171 66
Wilkinson & Co., goods,	4 30
G. H. Tilden & Co., goods,	50
F. H. Wright & Co., boots,	19 50
Frank O. Wright, work and gravel,	50 35
Forrest L. Carey, supplies,	9 02
Daniel E. Hathorn, work with team,	28 20
J. Cushing & Co., grain,	175 14
C. H. Fairfield, ice,	7 00
George Frank Ball, insurance on store-house, etc.,	12 75
Fred Knight, gravel,	3 60
Henry Ellis, plowing,	28 25
Fred S. Wyman, hay,	86 76
A. B. Skinner Co., goods,	24 68
Stearns & Rice, painting dump cart,	15 00
John M. Grout, plowing,	34 90
W. L. Moore, work with team,	8 85
A. L. Thayer, hay,	58 83
Webb Granite & Construction Co., paving stones,	14 40

Paid Sidney C. Ellis, work,	\$19 35
Louis Bedaw, work,	4 80
Spencer Hardware Co., coal, etc.,	104 50
Beaver Mills, lumber, etc.,	160 98
Leavitt W. Safford, plowing,	34 50
Charles P. Russell, snowing arch bridge,	- 4 50
Wilder F. Gates, work with teams,	153 45
William G. Tucker, plowing roads,	43 70
George R. Ellis, work,	30
F. Lester Ellis, work,	30
George B. Robertson, repairs,	70 45
Irvin Curtis, work with team,	29 00
Harold L. Bond, forks,	6 50
Thomas A. Hastings, work and bridge plank, etc.,	186 04
Edward H. Fletcher, work plowing,	25 85
A. B. Black, edges and plow points,	9 00
David B. Stearns, work with team,	25 50
Amos A. Blanchard, work,	8 25
Noel Dufo, work,	7 50
Pearson Bros., goods, etc.,	7 58
Nils Johnson, work,	4 40
Herman C. Rice, work,	1 50
A. E. Fish, repairs,	2 95
Charles P. Pitcher, hay,	53 54
Fred S. Smith, work,	5 25
Herbert A. Davis, work,	5 92
Charles O. Magnuson, work,	1 50
John E. Wyman, poles,	28 00
George M. Hodgkins, work,	9 00
Daniel M. Spaulding, breaking roads,	11 00
Darling & Co., printing,	2 00
F. F. Wilcox, repairs,	2 45
George D. Gillis, repairs,	29 15
Myron C. Ellis, work with team,	26 70
Robert C. Jones, repairs,	7 50

Paid Frank E. Aldrich, hay,	\$37 06
Peter Heffron, hay,	35 92
F. C. & L. A. Nims, teams,	22 00
F. H. Wright & Co., goods,	16 25
Mrs. Charles J. Haywood, gravel,	8 20
Charles P. Pitcher, bridge plank,	13 52
Bullard & Shedd Co., goods,	13 13
Thomas A. Hastings, bridge plank,	76 02
Henry A. Patterson, railing poles,	15 28
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	\$11,602 99
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	\$11,984 76
Balance to new account,	\$1,670 33

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Balance from last year,	\$453 38
Appropriation,	5,500 00
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	\$5,953 38
Paid Fred W. Towne, salary, chief engineer,	\$100 00
Edward P. Carrigan, clerk of board,	75 00
Louis A. Nims, salary, assistant engineer,	50 00
Joel H. Tenney, salary, assistant engineer,	50 00
Joseph F. Emmons, salary, superintendent fire alarm,	200 00
Frank H. Whitcomb, weekly pay-rolls,	780 00
Frank H. Whitcomb, still alarms and brush fires pay-rolls,	125 75
Keene Steam Fire Engine & Hose Co., pay-roll,	605 83
Deluge Hose Co., No. 1, pay-roll,	500 00
Washington Hook & Ladder Co., pay-roll,	502 50



Paid George B. Robertson, salary, engineer,	\$60 00
Harry N. Aldrich, salary, engineer,	60 00
Nelson A. Crosier, salary, assistant engineer,	25 00
Frank M. Davis, salary, assistant engineer,	25 00
John H. Simpson, salary, fireman,	10 00
Henry L. Barrett, salary, fireman,	5 00
David W. Mitchell, salary, fireman,	5 00
Keene Gas Light Co., gas,	387 41
New England Telephone and Tele- graph Co., instruments and tolls,	47 79
Frank H. Baldwin, goods,	8 20
Fred H. Fay, janitor,	37 50
Henry S. Stevens, goods,	4 48
Milan F. Jones, special driver,	41 50
Jonas F. Whitcomb, clothing,	29 86
G. H. Aldrich & Son, insurance,	60 00
Henry L. Barrett, extra work at fire,	3 50
Herman C. Rice, work,	2 35
Knowlton & Stone, goods,	27 23
Alfred E. Barnard, work, etc.,	12 35
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight,	9 79
Reuben Ray, repairs,	17 55
Aldrich & Dutton, goods,	1 11
Sentinel Printing Co., printing,	13 75
G. H. Tilden & Co., goods,	70
Spencer Hardware Co., coal, etc.,	169 67
George M. Stevens, door, lock and boxes,	8 50
Fred W. Towne, inspecting buildings,	23 00
F. B. Pierce Co., chairs,	24 00
C. S. Knowles, jars,	3 50
George B. Robertson, sled and repairs,	149 30
A. B. Skinner Co., goods,	4 78
Martin V. B. Clark, goods,	1 85
Henry K. Barnes, chemical nozzle, repairs, etc.,	10 99

Paid Leon M. Willard, repairs, etc.,	\$180 93
George A. Nims Estate, teams,	25 50
Electric Gas Lighting Co., zines, vitriol, etc.,	162 65
Keene Gas & Electric Co., supplies,	28 80
Central Pharmacy, sponges,	1 70
Frank H. Whitcomb, express charges,	80
Charles H. Bridgman, goods,	08
George H. Eames, Jr., postal cards,	2 00
Keene Directory Co., book,	1 50
Peter G. Marrion, lunches,	3 90
Humphrey Machine Co., castings, noz- zle and patterns,	31 38
F. C. & L. A. Nims, teams,	16 50
Pearson Bros., repairs, etc.,	1 25
Eugene B. Riley, labor on hose,	2 00
John H. Scripture, pay of a fireman,	10 00
George M. Rossman, goods,	1 00
Charles Allen, rein snaps,	9 00
Hezro W. Hubbard, repairs, etc.,	5 50
William T. Winn, labor at fire,	1 75
F. F. Wilcox, repairs,	70
W. D. Driscoll, cleaning out chimney,	1 25
George H. Giffin, coal,	267 80
Lucy Hopkins, cleaning fire station,	10 00
Forrest L. Carey, goods,	35
Bullard & Shedd Co., goods,	6 90
W. E. Wright, repairs,	1 25
Highway Department, work and keep- ing horses,	437 00
Wilkinson & Co., goods,	25
Water and Sewer Department, labor, etc.,	276 30
Henry R. Parker, wood,	5 00
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	\$5,772 78
Balance to new account,	\$180 60

## POLICE.

Balance from last year,	\$120 56
Appropriation, December, 1904,	600 00
Appropriation, January, 1905,	4,000 00
Additional appropriation,	600 00
Police service,	223 25
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	\$5,543 81

Paid Benjamin G. Hall, salary, city marshal,	\$1,136 82
William H. Philbrick, police duty,	937 64
Harry F. Buckminster, police duty,	730 87
Charles S. Wright, police duty,	912 86
Leon V. Aldrich, police duty,	6 60
Irving E. Allen, police duty,	3 00
Colbert Auger, police duty,	2 00
Fred A. Bowen, police duty,	2 00
Nelson A. Crosier, police duty,	3 00
William Cotter, police duty,	3 00
James B. Duffy, police duty,	2 00
Sidney C. Ellis, police duty,	10 00
Levi M. Fay, police duty,	26 00
George E. Forbes, police duty,	2 00
Lawrence Gilbo, police duty,	24 20
Albert W. Green, police duty,	84 40
Fred W. Gunn, police duty,	3 00
Frank X. Harmon, police duty,	112 00
Wyman Lawrence, police duty,	28 20
Garrett J. Landers, police duty,	3 00
Charles H. Mason, police duty,	4 00
Burtis L. Parkman, police duty,	2 00
Charles W. Scripture, police duty,	3 00
George H. Staples, police duty,	150 20
William J. Wheelock, police duty,	105 00
James E. Wood, police duty,	105 40
Robert E. Tolman, police duty,	140 40
Keene Gas & Electric Co., gas,	154 34

Paid New England Telephone & Telegraph Co., instruments and tolls,	\$41 12
Hiram T. Houghton, hack hire,	75 00
Irvin J. Davis, meals,	229 00
John E. Wyman, burying dogs,	29 00
John P. Flanagan, police duty,	3 00
John H. Pender, hack hire,	35 00
Dennis J. Foley, police duty,	1 20
Homer O. Fisher, police duty,	12 40
Aldrich & Dutton, police duty,	2 90
Sentinel Printing Co., printing,	33 25
G. H. Tilden & Co., goods,	2 45
Forrest L. Carey, goods,	2 04
Augustus G. Grimes, hack hire,	1 00
Cheshire Laundry, work,	6 26
Benjamin G. Hall, expenses of transportation, etc.,	52 48
William H. Philbrick, expenses of transportation, etc.,	7 50
Arthur Bouvier, hack hire,	8 75
Leon M. Willard, labor, etc.,	6 10
George A. Nims, teams,	2 50
Edward N. Pearson; engrossing act of legislature,	3 75
City Ice Co., ice,	3 00
A. J. LaRock, hack hire,	58 50
Darling & Co., printing,	2 50
Kenneth E. Mosher, teams,	16 50.
Harry M. Wilder, teams,	18 50
Keene Directory Co., book,	1 50
Harry E. Thornton, hack hire,	3 50
George A. Nims Estate, teams,	2 50
Pearson Bros., repairs, etc.,	63
George M. Rossman, goods, etc.,	11 55
Carl Swanstrom, police duty,	4 00
Knowlton & Stone, goods,	7 70
W. H. Spalter, goods,	1 90

Paid N. G. Gurnsey & Co., provisions,	\$0 81
Forrest L. Carey, goods,	78
Leon M. Willard, police duty,	2 00
Bion H. Whitehouse, pictures,	2 00
F. C. & L. A. Nims, teams,	16 00
Hinds Brothers, teams,	3 00
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	\$5,408 50
Balance to new account,	\$135 31

## WATER WORKS.

Bills paid,	\$6,775 22
Amount deposited by superintendent,	\$1,626 55

## SEWERS.

Balance from last year,	\$880 68
Appropriation,	1,000 00
Deposited by superintendent,	467 60
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	\$2,348 28
Bills paid,	1,375 45
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Balance to new account,	\$972 83

## DRAINS.

Balance from last year,	\$186 12
Appropriation,	1,000 00
Appropriation for Island street drain,	572 90
Additional appropriation,	250 00
Amount deposited by superintendent,	42 87
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	\$2,051 89
Bills paid,	1,634 11
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Balance to new account,	\$417 78



For itemized accounts under the supervision of the water, sewer and drain department, see report of water commissioners and superintendent.

### ELECTRIC LIGHTS.

Balance from last year,	\$1,836 26
Appropriation,	9,000 00
	<u>\$10,836 26</u>
Paid Keene Gas & Electric Co., electric street lights,	\$6,832 97
Citizens' Electric Co., electric street lights,	1,469 15
Hiram T. Houghton, hack hire,	1 50
Engineering Record, advertisement,	6 80
J. D. Colony & Sons, advertisement,	3 00
Electric Auditing Co., services,	97 00
Samuel Wadsworth, services,	11 00
	<u>\$8,421 42</u>
Balance to new account,	\$2,414 84

### SCHOOLS.

#### UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT.

Balance due district on year 1904,	\$16,000 00
Appropriation as per joint resolution, 1905,	22,178 76
Appropriation as per district tax, 1905,	8,990 01
	<u>\$47,168 76</u>
Paid William C. Hall, treasurer, balance, 1904,	\$16,000 00
William C. Hall, treasurer,	15,168 76
	<u>\$31,168 76</u>
Balance due Union school district,	\$16,000 00

## PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Balance from last year,	\$561 34	
Appropriation,	500 00	
Appropriation, interest on Thayer and Chapin fund,	175 00	
Fines collected,	85 00	
Sale of old catalogues,	63	
Ingersoll Library fund,	23 48	
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		\$1,345 45
Paid C. W. Tibbetts, book,	\$2 00	
Perry Mason Co., Youth's Com- panion,	1 75	
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight on books,	1 64	
W. H. Britton & Co., carting books,	3 45	
W. B. Clarke Co., books,	583 16	
Gorham's Subscription Agency, books,	195 55	
Library Bureau, books,	15 15	
G. E. Stetchert & Co., books,	3 95	
F. J. Barnard & Co., books,	124 37	
The H. H. Wilson Co., books,	6 00	
Committee on History of Keene, books,	10 50	
A. B. Skinner Co., books,	7 28	
Keene Directory Co., book,	1 50	
B. F. Buck & Co., book,	4 35	
H. R. Hunting & Co., book,	6 00	
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		\$966 65
Balance to new account,		\$378 80

## PUBLIC LIBRARY EXPENSE.

Balance from last year,	\$203 87
Appropriation,	2,000 00

Additional appropriation,	\$100 00	
Lawn mower sold,	1 50	
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		\$2,305 37
Paid Maud E. Bloomingdale, salary, librarian,	\$550 00	
Maude H. Sherman, services, assistant,	259 65	
Ira D. Gates, services, janitor, etc.,	119 87	
Theodore J. Locke, services, janitor, etc.,	236 56	
Bullard & Shedd Co., goods,	7 45	
Herbert Putnam, catalogue cards,	88	
Keene Gas & Electric Co., gas and electric lighting,	283 42	
Library Bureau, dating type, book holder, etc.,	25 36	
George M. Rossman, repairs, etc.,	19 70	
Bessie McGregor, services, assistant,	9 90	
Knowlton & Stone, goods,	6 40	
Cassius M. White, repairs,	37 37	
Robert F. Carroll, repairs,	13 80	
Sentinel Printing Co., printing,	9 75	
G. H. Tilden & Co., goods,	12 00	
O. J. Howard & Co., goods,	9 00	
George H. Giffin, wood, etc.,	393 59	
G. H. Aldrich & Son, insurance,	37 50	
Spencer Hardware Co., coal,	154 23	
W. P. Chamberlain Co., goods,	9 80	
Bert Magnuson, work,	43 08	
Pearson Bros., repairs,	11 69	
Kirk & Sewall, repairs, etc.,	3 15	
C. B. Perry & Sons, insurance,	28 61	
C. M. Cummings, goods,	1 49	
W. E. Wright, repairs,	1 50	
George Frank Ball, insurance,	18 80	
Hezro W. Hubbard, repairs,	3 00	
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		\$2,307 55
Account overdrawn,		\$2 18

## CONCRETE WALKS.

Balance from last year,	\$21 40	
Appropriation,	1,000 00	
Additional appropriation,	175 00	
Concrete assessment, collected,	14 29	
	<hr/>	\$1,210 69
Paid Cheshire County, one-fourth arti-		
ficial stone walk,	\$129 24	
Keene Artificial Stone Co., repairs,	1,000 42	
Samuel Wadsworth, services, engineer,	11 90	
	<hr/>	\$1,141 56
Balance to new account,		\$69 13

## SNOW PLOWS.

Appropriation, Nov. 3, 1904,	\$125 00
Paid A. B. Black, agent, snow plows,	125 00

## MACADAM.

Balance from last year,	\$67 28	
Appropriation,	2,000 00	
Error on Beaver Mills, cash returned,	78 65	
	<hr/>	\$2,145 93
Paid George H. Giffin, coal and wood,	\$150 97	
Humphrey Machine Co., goods, etc.,	2 00	
Vacuum Oil Co., oil,	17 55	
Frank H. Whitcomb, weekly pay-		
rolls,	2,042 80	
A. B. Black, agent, jaws, plates, etc.,	91 10	
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight,	1 06	
Hezro W. Hubbard, repairs,	65 19	
Beaver Mills, supplies,	16 00	
Knowlton & Stone, goods,	18 65	

Paid Spencer Hardware Co., goods,	\$0 97	
Samuel Wadsworth, services, engineer,	26 25	
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		\$2,432 54
Account overdrawn,		\$286 61

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### SCHOOL BOOKS AND SUPPLIES.

Appropriation,		\$3,500 00
Paid Wilton H. Spalter, books and sup-		
plies,	\$2,574 15	
G. H. Tilden & Co., books and sup-		
plies,	924 84	
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		\$3,498 99
Balance to new account,		\$1 01

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### NUMBERING BUILDINGS.

Balance from last year,		\$56 49
Paid Enterprise Plating Co., numbers,	\$12 50	
Samuel Wadsworth, numbering build-		
ing and plans,	8 80	
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		\$21 30
Balance to new account,		\$35 19

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### HORSES FOR FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation,	\$600 00
Paid C. E. Barrett, horses,	600 00

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### COUNTY AID TO SOLDIERS OR THEIR FAMILIES.

Paid Mary J. Barlow, support of self,	\$60 00
Mrs. John L. Britton, support of self,	66 00
George F. Hopkins, sawing wood,	2 00



Paid P. H. McCushing, groceries,	\$70 00	
Lewis Ellis, rent, Ed. Baker,	78 00	
John P. Rust, wood,	2 50	
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## PARKS.

Balance from last year,	\$52 76	
Appropriation,	200 00	
Additional appropriation,	50 00	
	<hr/>	\$302 76

Paid George A. Wheelock, salary, park commissioner,	\$25 00	
Sidney A. Ellis, work,	211 18	
D. C. Twitchell, work,	20 00	
Charles Bissell, work,	11 70	
Oliver Vigneau, work,	7 50	
Antoine Vigneau, work,	7 50	
	<hr/>	\$282 88
Balance to new account,		\$19 88

## CEMETERIES.

Balance from last year,	\$1,036 95	
Appropriation, maintenance,	300 00	
Appropriated for interest on funds de- posited in treasury at 3½ per cent,	282 20	
Collected, Walter E. Mason, superin- tendent, care of lots, and sale of lots,	1,690 44	
Income on cemetery funds collected by city treasurer,	63 06	
	<hr/>	\$3,372 65

Paid Frank H. Whitcomb, weekly pay-rolls,	\$1,390 35
Walter E. Mason, salary, superintendent,	100 00
Walter E. Mason, services and use of horse,	661 21
John Flynn, work on Salma Hale lot,	10 00
F. A. Russell, work with team,	6 13
Elisha F. Lane, loam, etc.,	15 75
Knowlton & Stone, goods,	18 89
Frank H. Whitcomb, recording deeds,	7 00
Sentinel Printing Co., printing,	3 75
Spencer Hardware Co., goods,	9 08
Samuel Wadsworth, surveying, etc.,	8 00
George F. Ball, insurance, tool house,	7 70
W. L. Goodnow Co., boots,	2 75
George B. Robertson, repairs,	29 85
H. L. May & Co., trees,	9 00
David E. Cheney, work,	88 00
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight,	4 77
George H. Eames, goods,	15 36
J. D. Colony & Sons, printing,	1 50
Humphrey Machine Co., emery wheel,	70
A. B. Skinner Co., goods,	16 00
J. P. Wellman, stamped envelopes,	10 60
W. H. Spalter, goods,	1 65
Kirk & Sewall, repairs,	65
Water and Sewer Department, labor, etc.,	15 47
Cassius M. White, repairs, etc.,	10 50
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	\$2,444 66
Balance to new account,	\$927 99

## COUNTY TAX.

Balance due Cheshire County, year 1904,	\$3,000 00
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County tax, assessed, 1905,	\$12,464 51
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	\$15,464 51
Paid treasurer of Cheshire County,	\$12,464 51
Balance due Cheshire County,	\$3,000 00

### SALARY OF BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Appropriation,	\$240 00
Paid Bertram Ellis,	\$26 67
Charles C. Buffum,	26 67
Henry W. Lane,	26 67
Wilton H. Spalter,	26 67
Gardner C. Hill,	26 67
Silas M. Dinsmoor,	26 67
William C. Hall,	26 66
Adolf W. Pressler,	26 66
Frank H. Whitcomb,	26 66
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	\$240 00

### STREET SPRINKLING.

Amount of assessment collected,	\$1,100 00
Paid account overdrawn,	\$97 02
Water and sewer department, repairs of hydrants,	66 55
Reuben Ray, repairs,	3 05
Frank H. Whitcomb, pay-rolls, Sun- day street sprinkling,	14 40
George B. Robertson, repairs,	4 40
Highway department, for street sprinkling,	1,020 00
Samuel Wadsworth, services,	6 25
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	\$1,211 67
Account overdrawn,	\$111 67

## ROAD MACHINE.

Appropriation,	\$250 00
Paid John Hadlock, road machine,	243 42
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Balance,	\$6 58

## HISTORY OF KEENE.

Paid Sentinel Printing Co., printing and binding,	\$3,861 98
J. P. Wellman, postage,	5 79
J. C. Estabrook, labor, etc.,	8 02
W. G. Freeman, pictures,	3 25
Knowlton & Stone, supplies for packing,	60
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	\$3,879 64
Proceeds of histories sold during the year,	\$1,792 00

## HISTORY.

## INCIDENTAL EXPENSES.

Balance of appropriation,	\$244 77
Paid for postage stamps,	\$4 06
Bertram Ellis, editing and proof reading,	102 00
Frank H. Whitcomb, indexing and proof reading, etc.,	137 60
H. J. Fowler, packing boards,	65
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	\$244 31
Balance,	\$0 46

## ELLIOT CITY HOSPITAL.

Balance from last year,	\$500 00
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Appropriation,	\$1,000 00	
		\$1,500 00
Paid treasurer of Elliot City Hospital,		\$1,500 00

## COOLIDGE ANNUITY.

Balance from last year,	\$400 00	
Appropriation,	800 00	
		\$1,200 00
Paid Emily B. Coolidge,		\$800 00
Balance to new account,		\$400 00

## BOARD OF PRISONERS AT COUNTY JAIL.

Appropriation,	\$1,347 91	
Paid Cheshire County for boarding prisoners,	1,272 84	
Balance,		\$75 07

ASSISTANCE TO PERSONS IN QUARANTINE AND  
INCIDENTAL EXPENSES.

Appropriation, Dec. 15, 1904,	\$150 00	
Appropriation,	250 00	
		\$400 00
Paid account overdrawn,		\$10 75
Paid Charles S. Walker, disinfecting,	\$49 90	
Bullard & Shedd Co., goods,	168 30	
Carpenter & Greene, provisions,	3 01	
Eli Chabott, provisions,	16 41	
Spencer Hardware Co., goods,	1 10	
Forrest L. Carey, goods,	19 54	
George H. Giffin, wood,	15 45	
Henry Giffin, wood,	7 05	



Paid W. L. Goodnow Co., goods,	\$1 11	
George A. Nims & Co., teams,	4 00	
Mildred Ackerman, nursing,	46 95	
Henry L. Barrett, burying horse,	5 00	
J. C. Estabrook, posting notices,	1 75	
J. D. Colony & Sons, printing,	9 75	
C. P. Bugbee, services,	8 00	
Leon W. Foster, milk,	2 16	
Levi M. Fay, burying animal,	25	
Fred J. Leonard, groceries,	7 96	
Cheshire Creamery, milk,	2 13	
J. H. Pender, hack hire,	10 00	
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		\$397 82
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		\$390 57
Balance to new account,		\$9 43

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#### INCOME ON MINISTER FUND.

Appropriation of income,		\$49 64
Paid Arthur W. Bailey,	\$7 09	
Charles B. Elder,	7 09	
Alfred H. Wheeler,	7 09	
Thomas E. Cramer,	7 09	
Joseph Walther,	7 09	
Willis A. Hadley,	7 09	
Dennis A. Ryan,	7 10	
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		\$49 64

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#### FIRE ESCAPE, CITY HALL.

Appropriation,	\$1000 00
Paid Cassius M. White, lumber, labor, etc.,	998 27
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Balance,	\$1 73

## FIRE HOSE.

Appropriation,	\$1000 00
Paid Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Co., hose,	896 86
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Balance to new account,	\$103 14

## DOMESTIC ANIMALS KILLED BY DOGS.

Amount of dog license fees collected,	\$961 79
Paid Edson A. Booth,	6 00
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Balance to new account,	\$955 79

## INDEXING KEENE CEMETERIES.

Balance from last year,	\$69 85
Paid Boston & Maine Railroad, freight,	\$0 27
Samuel Wadsworth, services, plans and card index,	67 50
W. L. Mason Co., card cabinet,	28 83
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	\$96 60
Account overdrawn,	\$26 75

## MEMORIAL SERVICES.

Appropriation,	\$175 00
Paid John Sedgwick Post, No. 4, G. A. R.,	\$175 00

## FREE PUBLIC BAND CONCERTS.

Appropriation,	\$400 00
Paid Keene Military Band Aid Association,	\$400 00

## ORCHESTRA LIGHTS—CITY HALL.

Appropriation,	\$50 00
Paid Keene Gas & Electric Co.,	\$50 00

## BOUNTY ON HEDGEHOGS.

Received from State of New Hampshire,	\$24 50
Paid account overdrawn,	\$17 75
Elliot Willard,	50
John H. Robbins,	2 25
H. L. Fisher,	75
C. W. Gage,	1 00
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	\$22 25
Balance for bills allowed,	\$2 25

## COLLECTION OF GARBAGE.

Appropriation for collection,	\$250 00
Appropriation for garbage wagon,	125 00
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	\$375 00
Paid Frank H. Whitcomb, weekly pay-rolls,	\$119 50
Robert C. Jones, garbage wagon,	125 00
Samuel Wadsworth, services,	4 00
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	\$248 50
Balance to new account,	\$126 50

## INTEREST ON BONDS.

Balance from last year,	\$2,485 00
Appropriation,	6,770 00
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	\$9,255 00
Paid city treasurer, interest on bonds,	\$6,770 00
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Balance to new account,	\$2,485 00

## PAYMENT OF BONDS.

Appropriation,	\$15,000 00
Paid city treasurer, sewer bonds,	\$15,000 00
Dividends reinvested.	

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## INGERSOLL LIBRARY FUND.

Appropriation,	\$51 00
Deposited Cheshire County Savings Bank,	\$51 00

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## INGERSOLL LADIES' PARK FUND.

Appropriation,	\$51 00
Deposited Cheshire County Savings Bank,	\$51 00

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## WATER LOAN SINKING FUND.

Appropriation,	\$1,330 50
Deposited, Keene Savings Bank,	1,330 50

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## BALLOT INSPECTORS.

Appropriation,	\$40 00	
Additional appropriation,	46 00	
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		\$86 00
Paid Liberty W. Foskett,	\$4 00	
George J. Bennett,	4 00	
Forrest Z. Morey,	2 00	
Fred M. Hamilton,	4 00	
Herbert A. Davis,	2 00	
William J. Callahan,	2 00	
James F. Kelley,	2 00	
James E. Heffron,	2 00	
Wilton H. Spalter,	2 00	

Paid William C. Hall,	\$2 00	
William T. Winn,	2 00	
Virgil A. Wright,	2 00	
Jed. C. Estabrook,	2 00	
Daniel E. Hathorn,	2 00	
Edward Carr,	2 00	
Clarence Russell,	2 00	
Charles P. Pitcher,	2 00	
George F. T. Trask,	2 00	
John H. Shea,	2 00	
John M. Coffey,	2 00	
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		\$46 00
Balance to new account,		\$40 00

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#### INSPECTION OF KEENE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation,	\$60 00
Paid Keene Fire Department,	\$60 00

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#### UNIFORMS FOR KEENE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation,	\$125 00
Paid J. Fred Whitcomb, uniforms,	\$125 00

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#### INCOME ON SIMMONS AND EASTBURN FUND.

Appropriation,	\$57 29
Paid Beulah Ellis,	\$5 73
Emily Clasby,	5 73
Mary E. Britton,	5 73
Julia Metcalf,	5 73
Elizabeth Bailey,	5 73
Nellie F. Saunders,	5 73
Sarah B. Saunders,	5 73
Jarib S. Herrick,	5 73



Paid Hannah H. Cobleigh,	\$5 73	
Hannah S. Raymond,	5 72	
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#### INGERSOLL FOUNTAIN.

Appropriation,	\$30 00	
Paid Water Department, repairs, etc.,	13 50	
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Balance to new account,	\$16 50	

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#### REPAIRS AT FIRE STATION.

Appropriation,	\$235 00	
Paid Cassius M. White, labor, etc.,	237 69	
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Account overdrawn,	\$2 69	

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#### STATE TAX.

Amount of state tax assessed,	\$11,504 75	
Paid Solon A. Carter, state treasurer,	\$11,504 75	

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#### RECAPITULATION.

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#### RECEIPTS.

Balance in treasury, Dec. 1, 1904,	\$37,822 38	
A. M. Nims, collector, taxes, 1900,	124 32	
A. M. Nims, collector, taxes, 1901,	224 57	
A. M. Nims, collector, taxes, 1902,	572 40	
A. M. Nims, collector, taxes, 1903,	1,451 68	
A. M. Nims, collector, taxes, 1904,	18,369 21	
A. M. Nims, collector, taxes, 1905,	82,656 73	

A. M. Nims, collector, taxes, street sprinkling,	\$1,100 00
A. M. Nims, collector, water assessments,	24,077 71
Frank H. Whitcomb, city clerk, rents, etc.,	7,612 83
Paul F. Babbidge, superintendent, collections,	2,137 02
Walter E. Mason, superintendent, collections,	1,690 44
Joseph F. Emmons, city messenger, collections,	1,683 20
Lewis W. Holmes, justice, police court fines,	703 00
State Board of License Commissioners, balance to May, 1905,	373 42
State Board License Commissioners,	5,861 25
William S. Tuttle, sheriff, fines and costs,	99 88
Edward H. Fletcher, overseer of poor, collections,	4,694 77
Withdrawn from water loan sinking fund, Cheshire Provident Institution,	1,330 50
Benjamin G. Hall, police department, collections,	223 25
Leonard Wellington, plumber's license fees,	3 50
Interest on Minister fund,	49 64
Interest on Simmons and Eastburn fund,	57 29
Interest on cemetery funds,	63 06
Russell fund (div.),	15 30
Gates fund (div.),	5 10
Whitney fund (div.),	5 10
Towns fund (div.),	5 10
Bowker fund (div.),	15 30
Ingersoll Library fund (div.),	51 00

Ladies' Park fund (div.),	\$51 00
Cemetery fund (div.),	25 50
Interest, Ladies' Park fund,	23 48
Interest, Ingersoll Library fund,	23 48
O'Donnell fund,	99 46
Elmer A. Nims, superintendent, col- lections,	45 95
Theodore J. Locke, collections,	1 50
Insurance tax,	680 25
Railroad tax,	6,925 07
Savings Bank tax,	2,953 85
Literary fund,	865 70
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	\$204,774 19

## EXPENDITURES.

Orders outstanding Dec. 1, 1904,	\$370 77
Ordinary city charges,	9,903 89
City paupers,	1,531 91
County paupers,	4,469 35
Highway department,	11,602 99
Fire department,	5,772 78
Police department,	5,408 50
Water works maintenance,	6,775 22
Maintenance of sewers,	1,375 45
Maintenance of drains,	1,634 11
Electric lights (street lighting),	8,421 42
Support of schools,	31,168 76
Keene Public Library, book account,	966 65
Maintenance of Keene Public Library,	2,307 55
Concrete sidewalks,	1,141 56
Snow plows,	125 00
Macadam,	2,432 54
School books and supplies,	3,498 99
Numbering buildings,	21 30
Horses for fire department,	600 00

County aid to soldiers or their families,	\$278	50
Parks,	282	88
Cemeteries,	2,444	66
County tax,	12,464	51
Salary of board of education,	240	00
Street sprinkling,	1,114	65
Road machine,	243	42
Printing and binding History of Keene,	3,879	64
History, incidental expenses,	244	31
Elliot City Hospital,	1,500	00
Coolidge annuity,	800	00
Board of prisoners, county jail,	1,272	84
Assistance to persons in quarantine,	379	82
Income of Minister fund, disbursed,	49	64
Fire escape, city hall,	998	27
Fire hose,	896	86
Domestic animals killed by dogs,	6	00
Indexing Keene cemeteries,	96	60
Memorial services,	175	00
Free public band concerts,	400	00
Orchestra lights, city hall,	50	00
Bounty on hedgehogs,	4	50
Collection of garbage,	248	50
Interest on bonds,	6,770	00
Payment of sewer bonds,	15,000	00
Ingersoll Library fund, reinvested,	51	00
Ingersoll Ladies' Park fund, reinvested,	51	00
Water Loan Sinking fund, reinvested,	1,330	50
Ballot inspectors,	46	00
Inspection of Keene Fire Department,	60	00
Uniforms for Keene Fire Department,	125	00
Income Simmons and Eastburn fund,	57	29
Ingersoll fountain,	13	50
Repairs at fire station,	237	69
State tax, 1905,	11,504	75
Balance in treasury, Dec. 1, 1905,	42,032	00
	\$204,878	07
Less outstanding orders, Dec. 1, 1905,	\$103	88
	\$204,774	19

## INDEBTEDNESS.

## SEWERAGE BONDS.

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Due.	Rate of Interest.	Amount Due.
1906, July 1,	4 per cent,	\$15,000 00
1907, " "	"	15,000 00
1908, " "	"	15,000 00
1909, " "	"	10,000 00
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		\$55,000 00

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## WATER BONDS, LOAN OF 1887.

Due.	Rate of Interest.	Amount Due.
1910, January 1,	3½ per cent,	\$7,000 00
1911, " "	"	10,000 00
1912, " "	"	10,000 00
1913, " "	"	10,000 00
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		\$37,000 00

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## WATER BONDS, LOAN OF 1891.

Due.	Rate of Interest.	Amount Due.
1913, October 1,	4 per cent,	\$5,000 00
1914, " "	"	10,000 00
1915, " "	"	10,000 00
1916, " "	"	10,000 00
1917, " "	"	10,000 00
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		\$45,000 00



## WATER BONDS, LOAN OF 1902.

Due.	Rate of Interest.	Amount due.
1909, July 1,	3½ per cent,	\$5,000 00
1910, “	“	5,000 00
1911, “	“	5,000 00
1912, “	“	5,000 00
1913, “	“	5,000 00
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		\$25,000 00
Total bonded city debt,		<hr/> <hr/> \$162,000 00

**ASSETS, DECEMBER 1, 1905.**

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Due from collector of taxes, 1900,	\$1,513 37
Due from collector of taxes, 1901,	1,239 84
Due from collector of taxes, 1902,	1,465 67
Due from collector of taxes, 1903,	3,388 57
Due from collector of taxes, 1904,	4,893 71
Due from collector of taxes, 1905,	24,804 64
Water loan sinking fund, Cheshire Provident Institution,	5,322 04
Water loan sinking fund, Keene Five Cents Savings Bank,	3,240 56
Water loan sinking fund, Keene Guaranty Savings Bank,	2,307 19
Water loan sinking fund, Keene Savings Bank,	1,769 78
Balance in hands of treasurer,	42,032 00
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	\$91,977 37

## LIABILITIES.

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Hibbard legacy,	\$1,000 00
Faulkner legacy,	2,106 98
Russell fund,	91 80
Gates fund,	30 60
Coolidge fund,	3,724 12
Whitney fund,	30 60
Nims fund,	68 94
Colony fund,	310 59
Ball fund,	137 89
Jones fund,	79 70
Towns fund,	30 60
Keyes fund,	79 70
Ingersoll fund,	153 00
Fletcher fund,	137 03
Bowker fund,	91 80
Packard fund,	135 00
Foster fund,	100 00
Searle fund,	100 00
Thayer & Chapin fund,	5,000 00
Bingham heirs fund,	100 00
John M. Blake fund,	100 00
Austin E. Howard fund,	100 00
Albert Godfrey fund,	100 00
Holbrook fund,	400 00
Gratia S. Reed fund,	100 00
Ralph J. Holt fund,	100 00
Edward Joslin fund,	500 00
Rebecca T. Wilder fund,	100 00
John Symonds fund,	500 00
L. S. Lord fund,	200 00
F. S. Wheeler fund,	100 00
Lora Stratton fund,	100 00

Henry Griffith fund,	\$100 00
Semira Stearns Cole fund,	100 00
Edward Cole Aldrich fund,	100 00
Jennie E. Ball fund,	250 00
Mary E. Watkins fund,	100 00
Asahel Nims fund,	100 00
Walter J. Wheeler fund,	100 00
George Burnap fund,	100 00
C. S. Blodgett fund,	100 00
Addison L. Parker fund,	100 00
Mortimer W. Bond fund,	100 00
Ellen M. Lang fund,	200 00
Rachel C. Woodward fund,	100 00
Cheshire County, balance of tax, 1905,	3,000 00
Union school district, balance of appro- priation, 1905,	16,000 00
Collector's salary, balance reserved,	3,600 00
City orders outstanding, Dec. 1, 1905,	103 88
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	\$40,162 23
Balance of assets over liabilities,	51,815 14
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	\$91,977 37

## TRUST FUNDS.

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### IN CARE OF CITY TREASURER.

All items marked with a \* are deposited in city treasury at  $3\frac{1}{2}$  per cent.

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### HIBBARD LEGACY, \$1,000.\*

Deposited with city treasurer. Income used in taking care of Salma Hale lot in cemetery, balance for schools.

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### CHAS. S. FAULKNER LEGACY, \$2,500.

Income used in improving and ornamenting Woodland cemetery.

Cheshire County Savings Bank,	\$393 02
City treasurer,	2,106 98*
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### SIMMONS AND EASTBURN FUND, \$1,300.

Given by David Simmons and Susan Eastburn. Interest for the relief and comfort of aged and infirm poor of Keene.

Addition given by Julius N. Morse, \$1,000 in 1896.

Deposited in Keene Guaranty Savings Bank,	403 76
Cheshire County Savings Bank,	1,000 00
Keene Savings Bank,	896 24
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## MINISTER FUND, \$4,155.

Derived from sale of wood on "minister" lot. Interest divided annually among the clergymen of Keene.

Deposited in Keene Five Cents Savings

Bank,	\$843 47	
Cheshire County Savings Bank,	889 80	
Keene Savings Bank,	2,421 73	
	<hr/>	\$4,155 00

## RUSSELL FUND, \$300.

Interest used in taking care of Lucinda Russell lot in cemetery, balance for improving and ornamenting Woodland cemetery.

Deposited in Cheshire Provident Institution,

	\$61 20	
Deposited in Cheshire County Savings Bank,	153 00	
Deposited with city treasurer,	91 80*	
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## FIREMEN'S RELIEF FUND, \$654.54.

Interest to be used under direction of officers of fire department for relief of firemen injured in discharge of duty.

Deposited in Keene Guaranty Savings

Bank,	\$190 70	
Keene Savings Bank,	498 47	
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## GATES FUND, \$100.

Interest to be used in taking care of the "Rufus Gates lot," and balance in improving Woodland cemetery.

Deposited in Cheshire Provident Institution,	\$20 40	
Deposited in Cheshire County Savings Bank,	51 00	
Deposited with city treasurer,	30 60*	
	<hr/>	\$102 00

## COOLIDGE FUND, \$5,320.17.

Principal to be used toward building or furnishing a public library building.

Deposited in Keene Guaranty Savings Bank,	\$1,596 05	
In hands of the city,	3,724 12	
	<hr/>	\$5,325 17

## WHITNEY FUND, \$100.

Interest to be used annually in improving lot No. 266 in Greenlawn cemetery.

Deposited in Cheshire Provident Institution,	\$20 40	
Deposited in Cheshire County Savings Bank,	51 00	
In hands of the city,	30 10*	
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## NIMS FUND, \$100.

Deposited in Keene Guaranty Savings Bank. Interest to be used in taking care of the "Dauphin W. Nims lot," and balance in improving Greenlawn cemetery.

Deposited in the Keene Guaranty Savings Bank,	\$31 06	
In city treasury,	68 94*	
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## L. J. COLONY LEGACY, \$1,000.

Interest to be used annually in taking care of the lots of Lewis J. Colony and Joshua D. Colony, in Woodland cemetery, and balance for the general improvement of said cemetery.

Deposited in Keene Guaranty Savings	
Bank,	\$310 59
Keene Savings Bank,	378 82
In city treasury,	310 59*
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	\$1,000 00

## BALL FUND, \$200.

Deposited in Keene Guaranty Savings Bank. Interest to be used in taking care of the "Geo. W. Ball lot," in Woodland cemetery, and the "John Grimes and Mary Grimes Stearns lot," in West Keene cemetery, and balance in improving Woodland and West Keene cemeteries.

Deposited in Keene Guaranty Savings	
Bank,	\$62 11
In city treasury,	137 89*
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	\$200 00

## JONES FUND, \$100.

Deposited in Keene Five Cents Savings Bank. Interest to be used in taking care of the "Ashley Jones lot," in Woodland cemetery, and the balance for such repairs and improvements as the city councils may direct.

Deposited in Keene Five Cents Savings	
Bank,	\$20 30
In city treasury,	79 70*
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	\$100 00

## TOWNS FUND, \$100.

Interest to be used, so far as needed, for the care of the "John Towns lot," in Woodland cemetery, and balance for repairs and improvements of said cemetery.

Deposited in Cheshire Provident Institution,	\$20 40
Deposited in Cheshire County Savings Bank,	51 00
Deposited with city treasurer,	30 60*
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	\$102 00

## KEYES FUND, \$100.

Deposited in Keene Five Cents Savings Bank. Interest to be used, so much as is needed, for the care of the "Zebadiah Keyes lot," in Washington street cemetery, and the "Harvey A. Bill lot," in Woodland cemetery, and balance for repairs and improvements in said cemeteries.

Deposited in Keene Five Cents Savings Bank,	\$20 30
In city treasury,	79 70*
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	\$100 00

## INGERSOLL LEGACIES.

## PUBLIC LIBRARY FUND, \$1,000.

Interest to be used annually for the purchase of books for the public library, said books to be labeled, "From the Ingersoll Donation."

Deposited in Cheshire Provident Institution,	\$204 00
Deposited in Cheshire County Savings Bank,	816 00
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	\$1,020 00

## LADIES' PARK FUND, \$1,000.

Interest to be used annually for the care of the Ladies' park, under the direction of a committee of the Park Association, for a term of twenty-five years.

Deposited in Cheshire Provident Institution,	\$204 00
Deposited in Cheshire County Savings Bank,	816 00
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	\$1,020 00

## CEMETERY FUND.

Interest to be used annually in the care of the "Ingersoll burial lots," in the old cemetery on Washington street.

Deposited in Cheshire Provident Institution,	\$102 00
Deposited in Cheshire County Savings Bank,	255 00
Deposited with city treasurer,	153 00*
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	\$510 00

## FLETCHER FUND, \$300.

Interest to be used, as far as needed, for the care and adorning of the "Fletcher lot," in Greenlawn cemetery, and balance for the improvement of said cemetery.

Deposited in Keene Five Cents Savings Bank,	\$60 90
Keene Savings Bank,	102 07
Deposited with city treasurer,	137 03*
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	\$300 00

## BOWKER FUND, \$300.

Interest to be used in taking care of the "Bowker lot," in Woodland cemetery and the monument erected on the said lot.



Deposited in Cheshire Provident Institution,	\$61 20
Deposited in Cheshire County Savings Bank,	153 00
Deposited with city treasurer,	91 80*
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	\$306 00

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## PACKARD FUND, \$300.

Interest to be used in care of the "Packard lot," in Woodland cemetery, and "Vose lot," in Washington street cemetery, and purchase of flowers for the same, and the balance, if any, may be paid to the G. A. R. for the decoration of soldiers' graves, or expended as the city may direct.

Deposited in Keene Five Cents Savings Bank,	\$60 00
Deposited in Cheshire County Savings Bank,	105 00
In city treasury,	135 00*
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	\$300 00

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## FOSTER FUND, \$100.\*

Deposited with city treasurer. Interest to be used in taking care of the lot in Woodland cemetery in which she and her husband are buried.

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## WOODBURY FUND, \$300.

Deposited in the Keene National Bank. Interest to be used in taking care of his cemetery lot in Greenlawn cemetery.

Keene Savings Bank,	\$300 00
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## SEARLE FUND, \$100.\*

Deposited with city treasurer. Interest to be used in taking care of his cemetery lot in Washington street cemetery.

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## THURSTON FUND, \$100.

Certificate of deposit in the Cheshire National Bank. Interest to be used in taking care of his cemetery lot in Greenlawn cemetery.

Keene Savings Bank,

\$100 00

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## THAYER AND CHAPIN FUND, \$5,000.\*

Deposited with city treasurer. Interest to be used for the purchase of books for the Keene Public Library, by the trustees.

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## BINGHAM HEIRS' FUND, \$100.\*

Deposited with city treasurer. Interest to be used in taking care of Warren and Charles W. Bingham lot in Woodland cemetery.

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## JOHN M. BLAKE FUND, \$100.\*

Deposited with city treasurer. Interest to be used in taking care of lot in Greenlawn cemetery.

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## AUSTIN E. HOWARD FUND, \$100.\*

Income to be used in taking care of the Austin E. Howard lot in Woodland cemetery.

## ALBERT GODFREY FUND, \$100.\*

Income to be used in taking care of the Albert Godfrey lot in Woodland cemetery.

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## HOLBROOK FUND, \$400.\*

Income to be used in taking care of the Samuel Robinson lot in Woodland cemetery, and the lot of George W. Holbrook in Greenlawn cemetery.

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## POLICE BENEVOLENT FUND, \$500.

Income to be used for the relief of the police of Keene, injured in discharge of duty.

Keene Savings Bank,

\$590 07

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## GRATIA S. REED FUND, \$100.\*

Income to be used for care of lot in North cemetery.

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## RALPH J. HOLT FUND, \$100.\*

Income to be used for care of lot in Woodland cemetery.

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## EDWARD JOSLIN FUND, \$500.\*

Income to be used for care of lot in Greenlawn cemetery and surplus if any, in general care of said cemetery.

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## REBECCA T. WILDER FUND, \$100.\*

Income to be used in care of family lot in West cemetery.

## JOHN SYMONDS FUND, \$500.\*

Income to be used for care of lot in Woodland cemetery.

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## L. S. LORD FUND, \$200.\*

Income to be used for the care and repair of lot in Woodland cemetery.

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## F. S. WHEELER FUND, \$100.\*

Income to be used for the care and repair of the Wheeler lot in Woodland cemetery.

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## LORA STRATTON FUND, \$100.\*

Income to be used for the care of the Clark Dodge lot in Woodland cemetery.

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## HENRY GRIFFITH FUND, \$100.\*

Income to be used for the care of lot in Woodland cemetery, where Henry Griffith is buried.

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## SEMIRA STEARNS COLE FUND, \$100.\*

Income to be used for the care of lot No. 22, in section 8, Woodland cemetery.

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## EDWARD COLE ALDRICH FUND, \$100.\*

Income to be used for the care of lot No. 34, in Greenlawn cemetery.

## JENNIE E. BALL FUND, \$250.\*

Income to be used for the care of lot in Woodland cemetery.

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## WALTER J. WHEELER FUND, \$100.\*

Income to be used in keeping in repair lot No. 19, section 2, Woodland cemetery.

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## GEORGE BURNAP FUND, \$100.\*

Income to be used in keeping in repair the Burnap lot in Woodland cemetery.

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## MARY E. WATKINS FUND, \$100.\*

Income to be used in the care and adornment of the Stillman French lot in Woodland cemetery.

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## ASAHEL NIMS FUND, \$100.\*

Income to be used in the care of the Nims lot, No. 17, section 4, Woodland cemetery.

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## C. S. BLODGETT FUND, \$100.\*

Income to be used in the care of lot No. 22, in section No. 1, Woodland cemetery.

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## ADDISON L. PARKER FUND, \$100.\*

Income to be used in the care of the Addison L. Parker lot in Woodland cemetery.



## MORTIMER W. BOND FUND, \$100.\*

Income to be used in care of lot No. 199, Greenlawn cemetery.

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## ELLEN M. LANG FUND, \$200.\*

Income to be used in care of lot No. 18, section 4, Woodland cemetery.

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## RACHEL C. WOODWARD FUND, \$100.\*

Income to be used in the care of her lot in Woodland cemetery.

## PROPERTY BELONGING TO THE CITY.

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City water works,	\$225,000 00
Lands at Echo lake and Beech hill,	5,425 00
City hall building,	40,000 00
Thayer library building,	25,000 00
Fire department,	14,000 00
Land and buildings, Vernon street,	10,000 00
Perry place, Coolidge park,	15,500 00
City pasture,	2,000 00
Stone quarry and land,	100 00
Portable stone crusher,	2,000 00
Water works, stock and tools,	3,000 00
Highway tools, horses and steam road roller,	3,500 00
Sprinklers,	1,000 00
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	\$346,525 00

## 1905.

Valuation of the city,	\$7,020,671 00
Tax assessed for the year,	108,820 40
Rate of taxation, \$1.55 per \$100.	
State tax,	11,504 75
County tax,	12,464 51
School tax required by law,	20,302 50
City tax,	52,000 00
Union school district tax,	8,990 00
Increase in valuation,	70,809 00
Increase in number of polls,	48
Number of scholars, from 5 to 16 years,	1842
Increase in number of scholars from 5 to 16 years,	63

POLLS, VALUATION AND TAXES ASSESSED FROM 1874 TO 1905  
INCLUSIVE.

Year.	No. Polls.	Valuation.	Rate of taxation per \$100.	Additional in U. S. D. per \$100.	Additional in C. S. D. per \$100.	Taxes.
1874	1919	\$4,298,386.00	\$1.36	\$0.04		\$61,065.27
1875	1789	4,676,117.00	1.12	.28		67,354.78
1876	1813	5,737,350.00	1.00	.25		72,341.30
1877	1842	4,852,664.00	1.08	.30		75,961.25
1878	1815	5,366,918.00	1.10	.30		75,639.77
1879	1717	5,081,876.00	.83	.22		62,521.84
1880	1802	5,757,752.00	1.00	.02		60,758.18
1881	1842	5,671,628.00	1.09	.03		70,601.40
1882	1900	5,849,418.00	1.05	.04		67,430.85
1883	1908	5,936,182.00	1.15	.05		73,909.11
1884	1795	5,922,043.00	1.15	.03		72,281.96
1885	1869	5,849,292.00	1.10	.12		72,910.08
1886	1845	5,938,529.00	1.15	.13		77,764.66
1887	1961	5,950,822.00	1.15			70,894.98
1888	1999	6,089,996.00	1.20	.075	\$0.06	80,105.80
1889	2075	6,096,732.00	1.20	.10	.05	81,688.24
1890	2046	6,117,404.60	1.30	.16	.08	91,870.91
1891	2126	6,051,111.00	1.25	.095	.08	84,153.70
1892	2027	6,156,366.00	1.25	.125	.02	86,895.93
1893	2051	6,259,608.00	1.25	.14	.05	89,400.98
1894	2032	6,280,468.00	1.25	.085	.03	82,235.04
1895	2090	6,223,142.00	1.15	.15	.10	83,393.75
1896	2173	6,293,686.00	1.35	.175	.06	99,341.97
1897	2173	6,266,894.00	1.35	.145	.025	96,434.73
1898	2274	6,283,854.00	1.35	.145		96,699.49
1899	2276	6,285,466.00	1.35	.125	.05	95,775.89
1900	2297	6,305,182.00	1.40	.18		102,363.28
1901	2415	6,392,250.00	1.40	.17		103,314.97
1902	2505	6,537,616.00	1.45	.18	.01	109,777.23
1903	2471	6,604,180.00	1.45	.18		110,731.56
1904	2454	6,949,862.00	1.55			107,722.86
1905	2502	7,020,671.00	1.55			108,820.40

## ESTIMATED EXPENSES FOR 1906.

*To the City Councils of the City of Keene:*

The joint standing committee on finance present the following estimates of the amount of money necessary to be raised the ensuing year, and respectfully recommend that \$52,000 of the amount be raised by taxation, and the remainder be paid from any balance in the treasury.

Ordinary city charges,	\$7,500 00
City paupers,	2,000 00
Highways and bridges,	10,000 00
Macadam,	2,000 00
Fire department,	5,750 00
Police department,	4,000 00
Street lights,	9,000 00
Public library books,	500 00
Public library expense,	2,000 00
Memorial services,	175 00
Interest on sewer bonds,	2,200 00
Interest on water bonds, loan of 1887,	1,295 00
Interest on water bonds, loan of 1891,	1,800 00
Interest on water bonds, loan of 1902,	875 00
Payment of sewer bonds,	15,000 00
Public parks,	200 00
H. O. Coolidge annuity,	800 00
School books and supplies,	3,500 00
Elliot city hospital,	500 00
Interest on Thayer and Chapin fund,	175 00
Cemetery department,	300 00
Board of education,	240 00
Sewer department,	1,000 00
Drain department,	1,000 00
Interest on cemetery funds in treasury,	305 70
West Keene sewer construction,	3,000 00

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\$75,115 70

We certify that we have examined the accounts of the city treasurer and city clerk, and find the same correctly kept and properly vouched.

JAMES S. TAFT,  
CHARLES W. MORSE,  
WALTER R. KIRK,  
ARTHUR L. WRIGHT,  
Joint Standing Committee on Finance.



# ENUMERATION OF CHILDREN OF SCHOOL AGE, SEPTEMBER, 1905.

Former Union District:		Present Union District:	
Boys.....	826	Boys.....	915
Girls .....	825	Girls .....	927
Suburban District:			
Boys.....	89		1842
Girls .....	102		
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	1842		
Number children, school age, 1905,			1842
Number children, school age, 1904,			1779
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Gain,			63

## ELECTRIC LIGHTS.

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The Citizens' Electric Company now have the following incandescent and arc lamps located in the city of Keene.

### INCANDESCENTS.

1. One, Below the bridge on Main st.
2. " Opposite the city buildings on Main st.
3. " On the Beaver Brook bridge on Main st.
4. " On the corner of Adams and Baker sts.
5. " On the corner of Adams and Gates sts.
6. " Opposite No. 31 Elliot st.
7. " On South st.
8. " On Jennison st.
9. " On Marlboro st., opposite Baker.
10. " On Marlboro st., half-way between Eastern Ave. and Baker sts.
11. " On the corner of Madison st. and Appian Way.
12. " Opposite Thayer & Collins' entrance on Appian Way.
13. " Half way from Thayer & Collins' to Main st.
14. " By the Winchester st. bridge on Winchester st.
15. " On the corner of Winchester and Madison sts.
16. " On the corner of Wilson and Winchester sts.
17. " On Water st., opposite No. 27.
18. " On the corner of Water and Willow sts.
19. " On Willow at the angle of the st.

20. One, On Dunbar opposite No. 31.
21. " On Dunbar st. by the shoe factory.
22. " On Carpenter st., corner of Fowler.
23. " On Water st., corner of South Lincoln.
24. " On Water st., corner of Eastern Ave.
25. " On South Lincoln st., half-way between Water and Church.
26. " On Wilber st. at the bend.
27. " On Church st., corner of Valley.
28. " On Valley st., corner of Kingsbury.
29. " On Railroad st., half-way between Beaver Mills and Main st.
30. " On Church st., corner of Main.
31. " On Main st., rear of E. F. L. block.
32. " On the corner of Norway Ave. and Roxbury st.
33. " Opposite No. 60 Roxbury st.
34. " Corner of Gurnsey and Roxbury sts.
35. " Corner of Dover and Roxbury sts.
36. " Corner of Grant and Roxbury sts.
37. " At the head of Roxbury st.
38. " On Terrace st., half-way across.
39. " On the corner of Oak and Beaver sts.
40. " On the corner of Beaver and Lincoln sts.
41. " On the corner of Beaver and Grant sts.
42. " On the corner of Beaver and Douglas sts.
43. " Half way across Douglas.
44. " On Beech st., corner of Beaver.
45. " On the corner of Franklin and Beaver sts.
46. " On the corner of Damon court and Beaver st.
47. " Half way on Brook st.
48. " On the corner of Spring and Brook sts.
49. " On the corner of Spring and Towne sts.
50. " On the corner of Towne and Taylor sts.
51. " Half way between Towne and Washington on Spring st.
- 52-3. Two, In rear of city hall.

54. One, Corner of Mechanic and Pleasant sts.
55. " Half way on Pleasant st.
56. " Corner of Union and Elm sts.
57. " Corner of Washington and Pine sts.
58. " At the angle on Pine st.
59. " Corner of Howard and Cross sts.
60. " Half way down Coolidge.
61. " Corner of High and Carroll sts.
62. " Opposite No. 22 Carroll st.
63. " Opposite No. 85 Carroll st.
64. " Corner of High and Washington sts.
65. " At the end of Greenlawn st.
66. " At the end of Cottage st.
67. " Corner of Maple and Howard sts.
68. " At the intersection of Gilsum and Howard sts.
69. " Corner of Spruce and Howard sts.
70. " Opposite No. 154 Gilsum st.
71. " Opposite No. 38 Gilsum st.
72. " Corner of Washington Ave. and Ellis st.
73. " Opposite jail pond on Washington st.
74. " Corner of Washington Ave. and Washington st.
75. " Opposite North Washington st. schoolhouse.
76. " Corner of Giffin and Washington sts.
77. " On Washington st. opposite the soap shop.
78. " Corner of Washington st. and the Concord road.
79. " Half way down the Concord road to the soap shop.
80. " Opposite No. 77 Sullivan st.
81. " Opposite No. 54 Sullivan st.
82. " Opposite No. 34 Sullivan st.
83. " Corner of Giffin and Knight sts.
84. " Corner of George and Knight sts.
85. " Corner of Sullivan and George sts.
86. " Corner of Rule and George sts.
87. " Corner of North and Elm sts.
88. " Corner of Spruce and Elm sts.

89. One, Corner of Chestnut and Elm sts.
90. " Corner of Spruce and Armory sts.
91. " At the end of Armory st.
92. " Corner of Baldwin and Armory sts.
93. " Half way between Spruce and Baldwin on Armory st.
94. " Corner of Forest and Prospect sts.
95. " On Forest st. at the angle.
96. " On Forest st. between Baldwin and Spruce.
97. " Corner of Court and North sts.
98. " Corner of Woodburn and Linden sts.
99. " Corner of Portland and Woodburn sts.
100. " Corner of Vernon and Court sts.
101. " In the rear of the fire station.
102. " In the center of Center st.
103. " On the corner of Middle and Summer sts.
104. " On the corner of Middle and Winter sts.
105. " Corner of Castle and School sts.
106. " Corner of Leverett and Barker sts.
107. " Corner of Winter and School sts.
108. " Corner of Castle and River sts.
109. " Corner of Colorado and Park sts.
110. " On Colorado st. opposite No. 143.
111. " Opposite No. 21 Colorado st.
112. " Corner of West and Colorado sts.
113. " On West st. by the Thayer library.
114. " On West st. by the Y. M. C. A.
115. " Corner of West and Ashuelot sts.
116. " On West st. at the bridge.
117. " On West, half way from the bridge to Pearl st.
- 118-22. Four, From Pearl to McKinley st.
- 122-4. Two, On West st. from the intersection of Park Ave. to old Tannery.
125. One, On Park Ave. at Russell st.
126. " On Park Ave. opposite No. 56.
127. " On Park Ave. opposite No. 61.



128. One, On Park Ave. at the intersection of Arch st.
129. " On Park Ave. at the entrance to Wheelock Park.
130. " On Park Ave. between Wheelock Park and the white house.
131. " Corner of Castle and Barker sts.
132. " On Arch st. in the Ladies' Park Woods.
133. " Opposite No. 18, Arch st.
- 134-8 Five, Between No. 18 Arch st. and the County Club.
139. One, On Pearl st. between West st. and the railroad.
140. " On Pearl st. opposite No. 163 Pearl st.
141. " On Pearl st. near No. 225.
142. " On Pearl st. near No. 323.
143. " On Pearl st. at the railroad.
- 144-5 Two, On Island st. between the railroad and the bridge.
146. One, On Davis st., corner of Davis and Ralston.
147. " On the corner of Ralston and Emerald sts.
148. " On Emerald st. opposite the Cheshire Beef Co.
149. " On the corner of Emerald and Wilson sts.
150. " Opposite Hotel Fairmont on Emerald st.
151. " By the B. & M. station on Railroad st.
152. " On Grove st. at the corner of Myrtle.
153. " Corner of Commercial and Wilson sts.
154. " On Main st., Sentinel corner.
155. " Corner of Russell and McKinley sts.
156. " Corner of McKinley and Fairview sts.
- 157-8 Two, On Fairview st., Roosevelt to McKinley.
- 159-60. " On Russell st., Roosevelt to McKinley.
161. One, Corner of Wheelock and Pine Ave.
162. " Corner of Pine Ave. and Roosevelt st.
163. " Corner of Marlboro and Willow sts.
164. " Corner of Myrtle and Foster sts.
165. " Corner of Kelleher and Adams extension.
166. " On St. James, west side, near railroad crossing.
167. " On Lincoln st. between Church and Roxbury.
168. " On Richardson court.

169. One, On Union st., near Washington.  
170. " Corner of Marlboro and South sts.
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## ARCS.

1. One, At the lower end of Main st. at the Branch bridge.
2. " On Main st. opposite No. 441.
3. " At the corner of Baker and Main sts.
4. " At the corner of Gates and Main sts.
5. " At the corner of Elliot and Main sts.
6. " At the corner of Winchester and Main sts.
7. " At the corner of Water and Main sts.
8. " At the corner of Emerald and Main sts.
9. " At the corner of Commercial and Main sts.
10. " On Main st. opposite Church st.
11. " On Main st. opposite West st.
12. " On Main st. opposite Roxbury st.
13. " On the Square at Court st.
14. " On the Square at the First Church.
15. " On the Square at Washington st.
16. " At the corner of Vernon and Washington sts.
17. " At the corner of Mechanic and Washington sts.
18. " At the corner of Beaver and Washington sts.
19. " At the corner of Cross and Washington sts.
50. " At the corner of Washington and Gilsum sts.
21. " At the corner of High and Howard sts.
22. " At the corner of High and Elm sts.
23. " At the corner of Cross and Elm sts.
24. " At the corner of Green and Elm sts.
25. " At the corner of Mechanic and Elm sts.
26. " At the corner of Vernon and Elm sts.
27. " At the corner of Page and Beaver sts.

28. One, At the corner of Beaver and Dover sts.
29. " At the corner of Franklin and Spring sts.
30. " At the corner of Roxbury and Harrison sts.
31. " At the corner of Roxbury and Beech sts.
32. " At the corner of Roxbury and Lincoln sts.
33. " At the corner of Church and Lincoln sts.
34. " At the corner of Church and Edwards sts.
35. " At the corner of Church and Harrison sts.
36. " At the corner of Church st. and Norway Ave.
37. " At the corner of Church and Wells sts.
38. " In the Beaver Mills yard.
39. " At the corner of Valley and Water sts.
40. " On Water st. at the railroad.
41. " Half way up Dunbar st.
42. " At the corner of Wilson and Davis sts.
43. " At the corner of Winchester st. and Butler court.
44. " At the corner of Winchester and Pearl sts.
45. " At the corner of McKinley and West sts.
46. " At the corner of Pearl and West sts.
47. " At the corner of Island and West sts.
48. " On West st. opposite No. 171.
49. " At the corner of West and School sts.
50. " At the corner of St. James and West sts.
51. " At the corner of Winter and School sts.
52. " At the corner of Summer and School sts.
53. " At the corner of School and Leverett sts.
54. " At the corner of Summer and Court sts.
55. " On Court st. opposite No. 91.
56. " At the corner of School and Court sts.
57. " At the corner of Cross and Court sts.
58. " At the corner of High and Court sts.
59. " At the corner of Portland and Court sts.
60. " At the corner of Prospect and Court sts.
61. " On Roxbury st. opposite Nims' stable.
62. " On Marlboro at Kelleher st.

63. One, At the corner of Marlboro and Grove sts.
64. " On Marlboro st. opposite No. 47.
65. " Corner of Marlboro and Main sts.



# Water Works, Sewers and Drains.



## WATER COMMISSIONERS, 1870-1904.

COL. ROBERT WILSON,	1870.
CHESTER NIMS,	1870, 1871.
JOHN HUMPHREY,	1870, 1871, 1876 to June 1, 1888.
S. A. GEROULD,	1870.
D. A. HOLBROOK,	1870, 1872, 1876 to 1882.
GEO. W. SAWYER,	1871, 1875.
CURTIS E. WILLARD,	1872.
HOSEA FOSTER,	1872, 1873.
W. P. COCHRAN,	1873.
S. O. GATES,	1873.
L. P. ALDEN,	1873.
HENRY COLONY,	1875.
EDWARD JOSLIN,	1875 to 1880.
N. G. GURNSEY,	1881. Now in office.
E. S. FOSTER,	1883 to June 1, 1892.
GEO. W. FISHER,	1888. Now in office.
C. M. NORWOOD,	1892. Now in office.

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## SUPERINTENDENTS, 1870-1904.

D. H. HOLBROOK,	1870, 1872, 1875 to June 10, 1876.
GEO. HOLMES,	1871.
S. O. GATES,	1873.
HORACE ADAMS,	1874.
LEWIS HOLMES,	From June 10, 1876 to 1878.
GEO. F. SANBORN,	1879.
D. H. SAWYER,	1880 to June 18, 1888.
PAUL F. BABBIDGE,	June 18, 1888. Now in office.

## BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS.

N. G. GURNSEY, CHAIRMAN.

G. W. FISHER, CLERK.

C. M. NORWOOD.

*Office Hours: 7:30 to 9 p. m., Saturdays.*

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## SUPERINTENDENT.

PAUL F. BABBIDGE.

OFFICE, CITY HALL.

*Telephone call, 226-13.*

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## ASSISTANT.

JOHN A. DENISON.

*Residence, 64 Pine St.*

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## INSPECTOR.

DAVID W. MITCHELL.

*Residence, 141 Spruce St.*

*Telephone call, 313-13.*

## WATER WORKS, SEWER AND DRAINS.

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THIRTY-SIXTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE WATER DEPARTMENT,  
 TWENTY-SECOND ANNUAL REPORT OF SEWER DEPARTMENT,  
 EIGHTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DRAIN DEPARTMENT,  
 AND THE  
 SIXTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE INSPECTOR OF PLUMBING.

BY THE COMMISSIONERS.

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*To the City Councils :*

Gentlemen,—We herewith forward the thirty-sixth annual report of the superintendent of the water department, the twenty-second annual report of the superintendent of the sewer department, the eighth annual report of the superintendent of the drain department, and the sixth annual report of the inspector of plumbing.

The financial account for the year is as follows :

Assessments and arrearages as given to		
the collector,		\$30,795 75
Amount collected,	24,082 17	
Amount of discounts,	4,484 75	
Amount abated,	367 22	
Amount unpaid,	1,861 61	
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		\$30,795 75

Earnings for the year are as follows:

Assessments Nos. 71 and 72,	\$23,625 80
Meters,	5,753 46
Cash for stock and labor,	1,626 55
Cash for ice and pasture,	215 00
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	\$31,220 81
Less advance discounts,	\$4,484 75
Less abatements,	367 22
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	\$4,851 97
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Gross earnings,	\$26,368 84
Maintenance,	2,722 95
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Net earnings,	\$23,645 88

The detail report of the superintendent is considered to sufficiently show the generally satisfactory condition of the several departments under our charge, and has our full approval.

Authorized by the board, the superintendent has erected a substantial brick building at Echo lake, to be used for the storage of tools, etc., and afford accommodation for employees of this department while they are engaged in repairs on this portion of the system.

It is the purpose of the board to adopt and carry into execution one of several plans they have under consideration to remedy the unsatisfactory conditions that now exist in connection with the Octagon reservoir; this is not to be understood that we contemplate repairing the reservoir itself, but rather that we are confident that the present waste of water at this point may be entirely avoided, by other methods of connecting the supply.

This can undoubtedly be accomplished without incurring prohibitive expense.

As much of the actual work of the collection of the

accounts of this department now devolves upon the superintendent, and more or less complications arise under the present system, we renew our previous suggestions, that your honorable board give further consideration to the matter of giving the entire collection of water rates into our charge.

While this may apparently indicate a slightly increased cost of this work, we feel that it would be compensated for by prompt collections and also to a certain extent preventing an accumulation of uncollectable accounts.

Respectfully submitted,

N. G. GURNSEY,

G. W. FISHER,

C. M. NORWOOD,

Water, Sewer and Drain Commissioners.

## SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

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*To the Board of Water, Sewer and Drain Commissioners:*

Gentlemen.—I herewith submit the thirty-sixth annual report of the water department, the twenty-second annual report of the sewer department, the eighth annual report of the drain department, and the sixth annual report of the inspector of plumbing, for the year ending Dec. 1, 1905.

### WATER DEPARTMENT.

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#### SERVICE PIPES.

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Reported Dec. 1, 1904,	1,889	
Additions to Dec. 1, 1905,	23	
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Whole number Dec. 1, 1905,		1,912

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#### ASSESSMENTS.

Number seventy-one,	\$11,355 66	
Number seventy-two,	12,270 14	
Meters,	5,753 46	
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		\$29,379 26
Uncollected Dec. 1, 1905,	\$1,861 61	
Cash for labor and stock,	1,626 55	
Deposited with city treasurer,	1,626 55	



## MAINTENANCE.

Paid N. G. Gurnsey, salary as commissioner,	\$25 00
G. W. Fisher, salary as commissioner,	25 00
C. M. Norwood, salary as commissioner,	25 00
Paul F. Babbidge, salary as superintendent,	800 04
Pay-roll, labor,	2,565 75
G. M. Rossman, pipe and fittings,	17 69
Pearson Bros., pipe,	163 72
E. H. Fletcher, hay,	18 00
Humphrey Machine Co., castings,	53 26
R. M. Lawrence, team,	19 85
Saunders & Gorman, repairs,	1 10
Nims & Whitney Co., lumber,	2 84
Knowlton & Stone, goods,	175 87
G. A. Nims, teams,	31 00
G. H. Tilden & Co., goods,	4 00
Chadwick-Boston Lead Co., lead,	232 26
Sentinel Printing Co., printing,	105 75
H. M. Wilder, teams,	20 50
L. J. Colony estate, hay,	40 90
Allen & Crosier, shoeing,	10 25
D. R. & F. A. Cole, grain,	45 42
A. E. Barnard, repairs,	8 00
B. & M. Railroad, freight,	65 28
J. Cushing & Co., grain,	8 50
H. W. Hubbard, repairs,	73 43
M. J. Drummond, boxes,	156 04
R. Ray, repairs,	39 79
Paul F. Babbidge, express, car fare, etc.,	20 00
J. H. Cunningham Co., pipe, fittings, etc.,	115 18
Braman-Dow & Co., jute,	6 65
A. B. Skinner Co., cloth,	4 08

Paid U. S. Pipe Co., c. i. pipe,	\$383 42
Geo. H. Eames, grain,	26 00
F. L. Carey, goods,	53 42
Thompson Meter Co., meters,	30 83
G. B. Robertson, repairs,	21 00
C. E. Stickney, goods,	17 44
G. B. Albee, thawing pipe,	21 08
Geo. H. Giffin, coal,	20 00
Keene Directory Co., directory,	1 50
J. D. Colony & Son, printing,	17 10
Town of Nelson, taxes,	10 99
Geo. E. Gilchrist Co., goods,	122 60
Donaldson Iron Co., c. i. pipe,	377 03
C. M. Cummings, goods,	5 00
Union Meter Co., meters,	118 70
H. C. Rice, painting fountain,	5 00
Darling & Co., printing,	1 75
T. F. Wilcox, work,	95
R. D. Wood, goods,	1 10
W. H. Spalter, goods,	6 49
L. E. Joslin, hay,	7 00
J. P. Wellman, stamps,	5 60
Beaver Mills, lumber,	10 00
E. G. Saltman, paper,	1 53
A. J. LaRock, teams,	3 50
William Sipson, teams,	86 00
M. M. Spaulding, goods,	1 68
Builders Iron Foundry, castings,	66 94
Rensselaer Valve Co., box,	2 75
J. H. Wright, use of tent,	12 00
Town of Roxbury, taxes,	325 26
D. McGregor, goods,	1 10
Highway Department, teams,	77 50
Ed. Carr, mason,	52 80

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\$6,775 22

## CR.

By labor and stock on extensions,	\$539 10	
Labor and stock on meters,	434 20	
Labor on drains,	300 00	
Labor as inspector,	150 00	
Labor and stock, Echo lake,	499 03	
Cash for labor and stock,	1,626 55	
Stock on hand,	513 38	
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		\$4,052 26
Cost of maintenance,		\$2,722 96

## WATER EXTENSION, 1905.

## ARCH STREET.

Pipe, lead, etc.,	\$270 90	
Labor,	44 90	
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		\$315 80

## PAGE STREET.

Pipe, lead, etc.,	\$153 90	
Labor,	17 20	
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		\$171 10

## WINCHESTER STREET.

Pipe, lead, etc.,	\$31 55	
Labor,	6 00	
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		\$37 55

## ROXBURY STREET.

Pipe, lead, etc.,	\$11 65	
Labor,	3 00	
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		\$14 65
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		\$539 10

Cost of extensions, 1905,	\$539 10
Reported Dec. 1, 1904,	269,070 23
Total cost of extensions, Dec. 1, 1905,	\$269,609 33
Total cost of reconstruction, Dec. 1, 1905,	83,815 22
Total cost of works, Dec. 1, 1905,	\$353,424 55

## WATER PIPE LAID IN 1905.

Street.	Hydrant.	Gates.	4-in.	6-in.
Arch .....	1 .....		10 .....	480
Page .....	1 .....		12 .....	240
Winchester .....				60
Roxbury .....		1 .....		
	<u>2</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>780</u>

## METER DEPARTMENT.

Paid pay roll, labor,	\$281 50
J. P. Wellman, stamps,	2 00
Thompson Meter Co., meters,	30 83
Union Meter Co., meters,	118 70
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight,	1 17
	<u>\$434 20</u>
Cost of meters, 1905,	\$434 20
Reported Dec. 1, 1904,	6,884 05
Total cost of meters, Dec. 1, 1905,	\$7,318 25

## INDEBTEDNESS.

## WATER BONDS, LOAN OF 1887.

	Due.	Rate of Interest.	Amount Due.
1910	January 1,	3½ per cent,	\$7,000 00
1911	"	"	10,000 00
1912	"	"	10,000 00
1913	"	"	10,000 00
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			\$37,000 00

## WATER BONDS, LOANS OF 1891.

	Due.	Rate of Interest.	Amount Due.
1913	October 1,	4 per cent,	\$5,000 00
1914	"	"	10,000 00
1915	"	"	10,000 00
1916	"	"	10,000 00
1917	"	"	10,000 00
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			\$45,000 00

## WATER BONDS, LOAN OF 1902.

	Due.	Rate of Interest.	Amount Due.
1909	July 1,	3½ per cent.	\$5,000 00
1910	"	"	5,000 00
1911	"	"	5,000 00
1912	"	"	5,000 00
1913	"	"	5,000 00
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			\$25,000 00
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Total bonded water works debt,			\$107,000 00











MAIN AND DISTRIBUTION PIPES IN USE DEC. 1, 1905.—Continued.

STREETS.	Hydrant.	WROUGHT IRON.			CAST IRON PIPE.							CEMENT LINED.				
		1 in.	1½ in.	2 in.	4 in.	6 in.	8 in.	10 in.	12 in.	14 in.	16 in.	24 in.	4 in.	12 in.	14 in.	16 in.
Summer.....	1				424	396										
Tannery.....	1				470											
Taylor.....	1				500											
Terrace.....				475	355											
Towns.....				263	48											
Towns Ct.....					254											
Union.....	1				1255											
Valley.....	1				769											
Vernon.....	1			244	360											
Washington.....	12				535	2044	3696									
Washington Ave.....	1				700											
Water.....	7			307	101	3611	270									
Wilford.....	1				375											
Willow.....	2				356	470										
Wilson.....	1			245	690											
Winchester.....	10				4456	1076	744									
Winchester Ct.....				525												
Winter.....	1				430	532										
Wells.....					260											
West.....	12				258	1408	5840						511			
Woodburn.....	2				1202											
Wilber.....	1				654	365										
Wyman Way.....	1					511										
Wyman Way Ct.....						181										
Wheelock.....	1				12	400										
Roxbury Main No. 1.....							14255	891	325	147						
Roxbury Main No. 2.....	3				36	24		18	11593	30						
Totals.....	236	623	336	15634	51809	62751	45570	1785	25553	741	392	129	511	6437	710	690

## RECAPITULATION.

Wrought iron pipe.....	16,593 feet.
Cast iron pipe.....	188,721 “
Cement lined pipe.....	8,409 “
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	213,723 feet
Or 40 miles, 2,523 feet.	

## NO. AND LOCATION OF FIRE HYDRANTS.

NO.	POST.	FLUSH.	STREET.	LOCATION.
1	L*		Arch	South side, near Dr. Russell's.
221	L		"	South side, opposite Spalding's.
235	Cn*		"	South side, 200 ft. east of Bradford st.
2	L		Adams	West side, cor. Elliot st.
3	L		"	West side, cor. Gates st.
4	L		"	West side, cor. Baker st.
5	L		Armory	West side, cor. North st.
6	M*		Appian Way	South side, between Main and Madison sts.
7	M		"	South side, opposite Madison st.
8	L		Ashuelot	West side, south of Park st.
9	L		Beaver	South side, opposite Page st.
10	L		"	South side, west of Beaver Brook.
11	L		"	North side, opposite Dover st.
12	L		"	North side, east of Beech st.
13	L		"	North side, west of Grant st.
14	L		Beech	East side, between Beaver and Roxbury sts.
15	M		Butler Court	West side, south of Winchester st.
16	M 4-way.		Central Sq.	South side of park.
17	L		"	Northeast side of park.
18	L		Church	North side, west cor. Norway Ave.
19	L		"	North side, opposite Wells st.
20	L		"	South side, east of Gurnsey st.
21	L		"	South side, opposite Probate st.
22	L		Colorado	West side, north of West st.
23	L		Cottage	North side, east end of street.
24	M 3-way.		Court	West side, front of Court house.
25	M		"	West side, opposite Vernon st.
26	M		"	West side, opposite Mechanic st.
27	M		"	West side, south cor. School st.
28	M		"	West side, opposite Cross st.
29	L		"	East side, north cor. High st.
30	L		"	West side, opposite Forest st.
31	L		"	West side, north cor. Portland st.
32	L		"	West side, south of Linden st.
33	L		"	West side, opposite North st.
34	L		"	East side, north of North st.
35	L		"	West side, at Glue works.
36	M		"	West side, at Glue works.
37	L		"	West side, near Elm st.
38	M		"	West side, near H. M. Darling's.
39	L		"	East side, near Levi Allen's.
234	L		"	West side, near Holman's.
40	L		Carpenter	West side, opposite Fowler st.
41	L		Cross	North side, east of Howard st.
42	L		"	North side, opposite Green st.
43	L		"	South side, west cor. of Elm st.
44	L		Castle	North side, opposite Ashuelot st.

\*L—Ludlow. M—Matthews. Cn—Coffin.



NO. AND LOCATION OF FIRE HYDRANTS.—*Continued.*

NO.	POST.	FLUSH.	STREET.	LOCATION.
45	L	H*	Carroll	East side, north cor. of High st.
46	L		Davis	North side, east cor. of Wilson st.
47	L		Douglass	West side, north of Roxbury st.
48			Dunbar	North side, west of shoe shop.
49	L		"	North side, opposite Crossfield st.
50	L		"	South side, east of Main st.
51	L		Elm	East side, north of Mechanic st.
52	L		"	East side, near Union st.
53	L		"	East side, north cor. of High st.
54	L		"	East side, opposite Baldwin st.
55	L	H	"	East side, south cor. of Spruce st.
56	L		"	West side, north cor. of North st.
57	L		"	East side, north of North st.
215	L		"	
58	M		Emerald	South side, east cor. of Wilson st.
59	M		"	North side, opposite Dunn & Salisbury's.
60			"	North side, opposite Ralston st.
61	M		"	North side, west of Ralston st.
62	M		"	North side, west end of Emerald st.
63	L		"	East side, near Gas works. [office.
64		H	"	North side, near master mechanic's
224	L		Eastern Ave.	East side, north of railroad crossing.
225	L		"	East side, near house No. 152.
226	L		"	West side, north of house No. 127.
227	L		"	West side, south of Water st.
65	L		Forest	West side, south of Baldwin st.
66	M		Franklin	West side, north of Spring st.
67	L		George	North side, near foot of hill.
68			"	North side, east of Beaver brook.
69	L		Gilsum	West side, north cor. of North st.
70	L	M 3-way.	"	West side, north of Washington st.
71	L		Grove	West side, opposite Myrtle st.
72	L		Grant	West side, north of Roxbury st.
73	M		Harrison	East side, north cor. of Church st.
74			"	East side, south of Beaver brook.
75	L		High	South side, east cor. of Carroll st.
76	L		Howard	West side, north cor. of High st.
77	L		"	East side, north of Maple st.
78	L		"	East side, opposite Spruce st.
79	M		Island	West side, south of railroad.
233	L	C*	"	West side, near Fowler's mill.
214			Jennison	East side, cor. of Foster st.
80	L		Kelleher	East side, opposite house No. 45.
209	L		"	West side, cor. of Baker st.
81	L		Leverett	West cor. of River st.
82	L		Lincoln	West side, south of Church st.
83	L		"	West side, south of Church st.
84	L		"	West side, north cor. of Water st.

\*H—Humphrey. C—Chapman.

NO. AND LOCATION OF FIRE HYDRANTS. — *Continued.*

NO.	POST.	FLUSH.	STREET.	LOCATION.
85	L		Lincoln	West side, south of Roxbury st.
86	L		"	East side, south cor. of Beaver st.
87	M		Main	West side, south cor. West st.
88	M		"	East side, south cor. of Church st.
89	M		"	West side, north cor. of Railroad sq.
90	M		"	West side, south of Railroad.
91	M		"	West side, south cor. of Emerald st.
92	L		"	West side, south cor. of Davis st.
93	L		"	East side, south cor. Marlboro st.
94	L		"	West side, south cor. Winchester st.
95	M		"	West side, north cor. Appian Way.
96	M		"	West side, front of City hospital.
97	M		"	West side, south of Gates st.
98	M		"	West side, opposite Baker st.
99	M		"	West side, front of E. F. Lane's.
100	L		"	West side, at J. S. Taft & Co.'s.
101	L		"	West side, near Park entrance.
102	L		"	West side, near Knight's.
231	L		"	East side, near Swanzey line.
103	L		Marlboro	South side, east of Main st.
104	L		"	South side, opposite Grove st.
105	L		"	South side, west cor. Kelleher st.
106		H	"	South side, east of Beaver brook.
107		H	"	South side, west of Baker st.
108		H	"	North side, east of Baker st.
109		H	"	South side, east of Baker st.
210	L		"	East side, at Eastern Ave.
211	L		"	East side, opposite No. 505.
212	L		"	East side, south of No. 534.
213	C		"	East side, near schoolhouse.
110	L		McKinley	South side, east of Park Ave.
111	L		"	West side, south of Russell st.
112	M		Mechanic	North side, east cor. Pleasant st.
113	M		"	North side, west cor. Elm st.
114	M		Middle	West side, opposite Centre st.
115	M		Myrtle	North side, opposite Foster st.
116	M		"	West side, east of Beaver brook.
117	L		Park	North side, west of Colorado st.
118	L		Park Ave.	East side, north of West st.
119	L		"	East side, cor. of Russell st.
120	L		"	East side, north of Russell st.
121	L		"	East side, opposite Arch st.
122		H	Pearl	West side, north of railroad.
123		H	"	West side, south of Hart place.
124		H	"	West side, at Ash swamp road.
125		H	"	West side, near turn of road.
126		H	"	North side, 600 feet west of schoolhouse.
127		H	"	South side, west of schoolhouse.

NO. AND LOCATION OF FIRE HYDRANTS.—*Continued.*

NO.	POST.	FLUSH.	STREET.	LOCATION.
128	H		Prospect	North side, west of Forest st., near top of hill.
236	L		Page	Not in service.
222	L		Pine Ave.	East side, near house No. 17.
223	L		"	East side, near house No. 45.
228	L		Roosevelt	West side, cor. of Fairview st.
129	L		Railroad	North side, west cor. Wells st.
130	L		"	South side, near Wright's meat house.
131	M		"	South side, east of 93d st.
132		H	"	South side, at Humphrey's shop.
133	M		"	North side, at Beaver mills office.
134	H		"	Southwest cor. Cheshire Chair shop.
135	L		"	West of Cheshire Chair shop.
136	L		"	East of furniture shop.
137	H		"	South side of furniture shop.
138	L		Railroad Sq.	South side, west of passenger depot.
139	L		"	North side, opposite freight depot.
140	L		Ralston	East side, north cor. of Davis st.
141	M		Roxbury	South side, near livery stable.
142	M		"	North side, front of Davis & Wright Co.'s.
143	M		"	North side, opposite Norway Ave.
144	M		"	South side, opposite Franklin st.
145	M		"	North side, east cor. of Beech st.
146	M		"	North side, west cor. of Lincoln st.
147		H	"	West side, opposite Terrace st.
148	L		School	East side, north of Winter st.
149	L		"	East side, south of Castle st.
150	L		"	East side, cor. West st.
151	L		"	East side, opposite Leverett.
152	L		Spring	North side, west cor. of Towns st.
153	L		"	North side, east cor. of Brook st.
154	L		Spruce	North side, east cor. of Forest st.
155	M		Summer	North side, opposite Middle st.
156	L		South	West side, south of Marlboro st.
218	L		South Keene	East of iron bridge.
219	L		"	At railroad crossing.
220	L		"	South side, top of hill.
157	M		Tannery	West side, near Tannery st.
158	L		Taylor	North side, east of Towns st.
159	L		Union	North side, east cor. of Green st.
160	L		Valley	West side, south of Church st.
161	M		Vernon	North side, west cor. of Elm st.
162	M		Washington	East side, north of City Hall.
163	M		"	East side, north cor. of Spring st.
164	L		"	West side, north cor. of Mechanic st.
165	L		"	East side, north cor. of Beaver st.
166	L		"	West side, north cor. of Pine st.
167	L		"	East side, south of Greenlawn st.

NO. AND LOCATION OF FIRE HYDRANTS. — *Continued.*

NO.	POST.	FLUSH.	STREET.	LOCATION.
168	L		Washington	East side, south cor. of Cottage st.
169	L		"	East side, south of Wilford st.
170	L		"	East side, south of Washington Ave.
171	L		"	East side, north of George st.
172	L		"	East side, north of George st.
173	L		" [Ave.	East side, near Morse's.
174	L		Washington	North side, west cor. of Ellis ct.
175	L		Water	South side, east of Main st.
176	L		"	South side, west cor. of Willow st.
177	L		"	South side, west of Grove st.
178	L		"	South side, west of railroad.
179	L		"	South side, east of railroad.
180	L		"	South side, opposite Valley st.
181	L		"	South side, top of hill.
182	L		Wilford	North side, near Green's shop.
217	L		Wheelock	East side, cor. of Russell st.
183	L		Willow	East side, south of Water st.
229	L		"	West side, 200 ft. north Marlboro st.
230	L		Wilber	West side, 300 ft. north of Water st.
184	M		Winter	South side, opposite Middle st.
185	L		Woodburn	East side, south cor. Linden st.
232	L		"	East side, opposite Perham st.
186	L		West	North side, west of post office.
187	L		"	North side, west of St. James st.
188	M		"	North side, east cor. of Colorado st.
189	M		"	North side, east cor. Ashuelot st.
190	L		"	South side, west cor. of Island st.
191	L		"	North side, west of bridge.
192	L		"	North side, opposite Pearl st.
193	L		"	North side, west of Pearl st.
194	L		"	North side, opposite C. P. Pitcher's.
195	L		"	North side, east cor. of McKinley st.
196	M		"	North side, opposite Tannery place.
197		H	"	North side, opposite Foster's house.
198	M		Winchester	North side, opposite Madison st.
199	M		"	North side, west of railroad.
200	M		"	North side, opposite Winchester ct.
201		H	"	South side, west cor. of Winchester ct.
202		H	"	West side, south of schoolhouse.
203		H	"	West side, opposite Whitcomb farm.
204		H	"	West side, at Burnap ct.
205	L		"	West side, front of brick house.
206		H	"	East side, at A. J. Williams'.
207		H	"	East side, Hamblet's old place.
208	L		Wilson	West side, south of Davis st.
216	L		Wyman Way	North side, east cor. of — st.

## PRIVATE HYDRANTS IN USE DECEMBER 1, 1905.

West street, at Faulkner & Colony Mfg. Co.'s mill:

- No. 1, Ludlow post, northeast cor. of mill.  
 No. 2, Ludlow post, southeast cor. of mill.  
 No. 3, Ludlow post, southwest cor. of office.  
 No. 10, Chapman post, south of dye house.  
 No. 4, Ludlow post, northwest cor. of mill.  
 No. 11, Chapman post, southwest of boiler house.

Water street, at J. P. Rust's mill:

- No. 5, Ludlow post, southside Water street, east of mill.  
 No. 6, Ludlow post, half way of mill, east side of mill.  
 No. 7, Ludlow post, southeast cor. of dry house.  
 No. 8, Ludlow post, half way of mill, west side of mill.

Island street, at H. J. Fowler's mill:

- No. 9, Ludlow post, south side mill, east of boiler house.

Ralston street, at Citizens Electric Co.'s:

- No. 12, Ludlow post, southeast cor. of lot.

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RECAPITULATION.

Matthews post, 4-way.....	1
Matthews post, 3-way.....	2
Matthews post, 2-way.....	51
Ludlow post, 2-way.....	153
Chapman post, 2-way.....	2
Humphrey post, 2-way.....	3
Humphrey flush, 2-way.....	23
Coffin post, 2-way.....	1
Total public hydrants.....	236
Total private hydrants.....	12
Total number of hydrants in use Dec. 1, 1905.....	248



TABLE SHOWING THE YEAR THAT PIPE WAS  
LAID IN EACH STREET.

Street.	When laid.
Adams.....	1890, 1892
Allen.....	1899
Armory.....	1890, 1895
Appian Way.....	1887
Appleton.....	1889
Ashuelot.....	1873, 1891
Ashuelot court.....	1873
Arch.....	1894, 1895, 1903, 1905
Barker.....	1901
Baker.....	1877, 1889, 1896, 1898
Beaver.....	1870, 1873, 1891, 1893
Brook.....	1885, 1893, 1894
Beech.....	1870, 1891
Butler court.....	1871, 1887, 1888
Baldwin.....	1892
Castle.....	1872, 1873, 1891, 1894
Carpenter.....	1894
Chestnut.....	1895
Court.....	1868, 1869, 1889, 1890, 1891, 1893, 1894
Central square.....	1868, 1869, 1891, 1896, 1898
Centre.....	1883, 1890
Church.....	1872, 1873, 1877, 1891
Colorado.....	1870, 1891
Carroll.....	1877, 1891, 1892
Cottage.....	1870, 1891
Coolidge.....	1872, 1890
Cross.....	1869, 1891
Dover.....	1871, 1892
Davis.....	1871, 1872, 1873, 1891, 1895
Douglas.....	1892
Dunbar.....	1870, 1871, 1884, 1891
Damon court.....	1899
Dartmouth.....	1901
Edwards.....	1894



Eastern avenue.....	1889, 1895, 1003
Elliot.....	1872, 1885, 1891, 1894
Elm.....	1871, 1872, 1891, 1895, 1896, 1900
Emerald.....	1871, 1887, 1890, 1895
Ellis court.....	1873, 1891, 1895
Fairview.....	1901
Forest.....	1871, 1872, 1875, 1884, 1893
Foster.....	1883
Fairfield court.....	1892
Franklin.....	1870, 1891
Fowler.....	1894
Foundry.....	1897
Gardner.....	1899, 1901
George.....	1883, 1891, 1896
Gilsum.....	1873, 1885, 1891
Greenlawn.....	1890
Grant.....	1870, 1888, 1891
Green.....	1891, 1903
Grove.....	1883, 1884
Gates.....	1889
Giffin.....	1900
Gurnsey.....	1892
Harrison.....	1872, 1889
High.....	1870, 1871, 1876, 1888, 1889, 1891
Howard.....	1870, 1873, 1891
Howard court.....	1891
Howard place.....	previous to 1888
Island.....	1889
Kelleher.....	1881, 1889, 1896, 1898
Kingsbury.....	1903
Jennison.....	1898, 1899
Leverett.....	1871, 1891
Linden.....	
Madison.....	1890
Main.....	1869, 1875, 1889, 1890, 1891, 1895, 1896, 1904
McKinley.....	1896, 1901
Midway.....	1895

Maple.....	1870, 1891
Marlboro.....	1871, 1880, 1891, 1898, 1899, 1902
Mechanic.....	1869, 1888
Middle.....	1871, 1890
Myrtle.....	1883, 1890
Monadnock.....	1892
Ninety-Third.....	1903
North Lincoln.....	1872, 1891, 1903
North.....	1891, 1892, 1893, 1898, 1899, 1902
Oak.....	1899, 1900, 1901
Page.....	1885, 1889, 1891, 1894, 1905
Pine.....	1872, 1894
Pine avenue.....	1903
Park.....	1891, 1895
Park avenue.....	1870, 1891, 1892
Proctor court.....	1900, 1901, 1904
Pearl.....	1876
Pitcher.....	
Pleasant.....	1901
Portland.....	1872, 1891
Prospect.....	1876, 1884
Probate.....	1891
Railroad.....	1871, 1872, 1877, 1889, 1891, 1893, 1896
Railroad square.....	1880
Ralston.....	1870, 1891
River.....	1873, 1891
Roxbury.....	1870, 1872, 1888
Roosevelt.....	1902
Russell.....	1873, 1897, 1902, 1903
Richardson court.....	1902
School.....	1869, 1891
South Lincoln.....	1870, 1891
South.....	1892, 1893, 1895, 1896
Spring.....	1870, 1873, 1885, 1886, 1891, 1894
St. James.....	1894
Spruce.....	1871, 1890, 1891, 1892, 1897
Sullivan.....	1888

Summer .....	1869, 1890
Tannery .....	1872, 1890
Taylor .....	1870, 1891
Terrace .....	1890, 1896
Towns .....	1888
Towns court .....	1899
Union .....	1870, 1872, 1890, 1891
Valley .....	1872, 1891, 1898
Vernon .....	1872, 1883, 1886, 1889
Washington .....	1870, 1873, 1883, 1890, 1891, 1895
Washington avenue .....	1891
Water .....	1870, 1873, 1884, 1885, 1891, 1902, 1904
Wilford .....	1891
Willow .....	1891, 1903, 1904
Wilson .....	1897, 1898, 1902
Winchester .....	1870, 1876, 1890, 1905
Winchester court .....	
Winter .....	1870, 1890
Wells .....	1902
West .....	1870, 1872, 1873, 1890, 1891
Woodburn .....	1873, 1883, 1884, 1891, 1904
Wilber .....	1888, 1893, 1894, 1899, 1904
Wyman Way .....	1898, 1901
Wyman Way court .....	1901
Wheelock .....	1902
Roxbury Main No. 1 .....	1887
Roxbury Main No. 2 .....	1902

AMOUNT OF ASSESSMENT AND NET EARNINGS OF  
THE WATER WORKS FROM 1870 TO 1905  
INCLUSIVE.

Year.	Amount of Assessment.	Net Earnings.
1870.....	\$940.73.....	(No record.)
1871.....	3,425.10.....	\$2,633.28
1872.....	4,718.18.....	2,718.18
1873.....	6,336.84.....	4,772.27
1874.....	7,061.10.....	5,885.35
1875.....	7,214.08.....	6,934.31
1876.....	7,594.54.....	6,336.42
1877.....	7,024.60.....	6,228.68
1878.....	6,906.21.....	6,147.49
1879.....	7,372.34.....	6,597.44
1880.....	8,315.58.....	7,354.82
1881.....	9,065.16.....	7,202.98
1882.....	9,461.10.....	8,429.79
1883.....	10,133.71.....	8,883.56
1884.....	13,815.93.....	10,039.84
1885.....	14,457.92.....	10,626.39
1886.....	15,326.32.....	11,453.39
1887.....	15,794.87.....	11,425.05
1888.....	16,128.67.....	11,595.02
1889.....	16,280.23.....	11,358.68
1890.....	17,040.15.....	10,976.29
1891.....	17,526.49.....	12,472.05
1892.....	18,574.29.....	13,771.34
1893.....	19,801.12.....	14,424.78
1894.....	20,142.98.....	15,359.92
1895.....	21,248.19.....	17,382.28
1896.....	22,538.41.....	17,469.91
1897.....	23,312.56.....	18,007.94
1898.....	23,734.74.....	18,287.90
1899.....	24,756.01.....	19,433.76
1900.....	26,427.69.....	21,450.11
1901.....	27,327.92.....	23,292.42
1902.....	27,486.10.....	22,207.11

Year.	Amount of Assessment.	Earnings.
1903.....	\$27,958.82.....	\$22,815.24
1904.....	28,332.95.....	22,856.75
1905.....	29,379.26.....	23,645.88
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	\$562,960.39	\$440,476.48

### REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 1, 1905.

Statistics as suggested by the New England Water Works Association:

Population by census of 1900, 9,165.

Sylvan lake system constructed, 1868.

Echo lake, No. 1, system constructed, 1886.

Echo lake, No. 2, system constructed, 1902.

Owned by the city of Keene.

Source of supply, Sylvan lake, three miles from city;  
Echo lake, seven miles from city.

### FINANCIAL.

C. Net receipts from water,	\$26,368 84
F. Hydrants, 248 at 25,	\$6,200 00
G. Fountains and water troughs,	400 00
H. Street watering,	1,500 00
I. Public buildings,	250 00
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	\$8,350 00
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	\$34,718 84

### EXPENDITURES. \*

A. A. Management and repairs,	\$2,722 96
B. B. Interest on debt,	3,970 00
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C. C. Total maintenance,	\$6,692 96
D. D. Balance to city,	28,025 88
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E. E. Total,	\$34,718 84

## CONSUMPTION.

1. Estimated population to date,	10,000
2. Estimated population on line of pipe,	9,500
3. Estimated supplied at date,	9,000

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## DISTRIBUTION.

1. Kind of pipe used, wrought iron, cement lined and cast iron.
  2. Size, four-inch to twenty-four-inch.
  3. Extended, 790 feet.
  4. Discontinued, 0 feet.
  5. Total now in use, 40 miles, 2,523 feet.
  8. Small distribution pipes, less than four-inch, total length 3 miles, 753 feet.
  9. Hydrants added, 3.
  10. Number now in use, public, 236, private, 12.
  11. Stop gates added, 1.
  12. Number now in use, 391.
  14. Number of blow-off gates, 31.
  15. Range of pressure day and night, 50 to 65 pounds.
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## SERVICES.

16. Wrought iron, galvanized and lead.
  17. From three-fourths to six-inch.
  18. Extended, 1,150 feet.
  20. Total miles, 11 miles, 1,730 feet.
  21. Service pipes added, 23.
  22. Number now in use, 1,912.
  24. Meters added, 5.
  26. Number now in use. 125.
- Motors and elevators in use, 11.



I respectfully recommend:

That the eight-inch Roxbury main be connected direct with the city main west of the Octagon reservoir.

That the cast iron pipe in Court street be extended to the North cemetery.

That an eight-inch pipe be laid through Grove street.

That the pipe in Carpenter street be extended from Fowler street to Church street.

That dead ends be cut off as far as practicable.

The works are in good condition.

Respectfully submitted,

PAUL F. BABBIDGE,  
Superintendent.

## SEWER DEPARTMENT.

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Connections reported Dec. 1, 1904,	1,225
Additions to Dec. 1, 1905,	29
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Whole number Dec. 1, 1905,	1,254

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## RECEIPTS.

Received for connections, etc.,	\$467 60
Deposited with city treasurer,	467 60

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## MAINTENANCE.

Paid Paul F. Babbidge, salary as super-	
intendent,	\$399 96
Pay-roll, labor,	549 83
Pearson Bros., goods,	14 31
C. H. Bridgman, goods,	1 79
E. H. Fletcher, hay,	10 37
J. H. Cunningham Co., goods,	19
Saunders & Gorman, repairs,	1 25
L. J. Colony estate, hay,	22 40
Allen & Crosier, work,	5 95
J. M. Duffy, goods,	9 75
D. R. & F. A. Cole, grain,	30 50
Knowlton & Stone, goods,	170 56
G. H. Tilden, goods,	2 70
A. E. Fish, work,	65
A. E. Barnard, work,	7 55
J. Cushing & Co., grain,	8 00
Paul F. Babbidge, express, etc.,	10 24
D. McGregor, work,	3 75

Paid F. L. Carey, goods,	\$9 50
G. H. Eames, grain,	15 39
H. W. Hubbard, work,	4 31
R. Ray, work,	6 00
F. E. Webster, goods,	98
G. B. Robertson, work,	14 35
Kirk & Sewall, goods,	5 67
C. M. Cummings, goods,	5 00
G. E. Poole, work,	4 50
L. E. Joslin, hay,	3 50
J. P. Wellman, stamps,	2 50
Beaver Mills, lumber,	5 00
Humphrey Machine Co., castings,	35 30
H. M. Wilder, team,	3 00
Spencer & Co., goods,	90
Aldrich & Dutton, goods,	1 30
G. A. Nims, teams,	8 50
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	\$1,375 45

## CR.

By labor and stock on new sewers,	\$90 85
Labor on drains,	100 00
Cash for labor and stock,	467 60
Stock on hand,	115 56
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	\$774 01
Cost of maintenance,	<hr/>
	\$601 44

## SEWERS LAID IN 1905.

## RICHARDSON COURT.

Pipe, cement, etc.,	\$11 45
Labor,	7 50
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	\$18 95

## TERRACE STREET.

Pipe, cement, etc.,	\$13 25	
Labor,	17 10	
	<hr/>	\$30 35

## BEAVER STREET.

Pipe, cement, etc.,	\$24 30	
Labor,	17 25	
	<hr/>	\$41 55
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		\$90 85

Cost of new sewers, 1905,	\$90 85	
Reported Dec. 1, 1904,	93,674 72	
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Total cost of sewers, Dec. 1, 1905,		\$93,765 57

## SEWER PIPE LAID IN 1905.

Street.	6-inch.
Richardson court.....	70
Terrace.....	85
Beaver.....	180
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	335

## KEENE SEWERS.

MAINS AND LATERALS IN USE DEC. 1, 1905.

STREET.	M. H.	Tank.	6 in.	8 in.	10 in.	12 in.	15 in.
Adams.....			1528				
Appian Way.....		1	1325				
Armory.....			1110				
Appleton.....			258				
Ashuelot.....	3				1747		
Ashuelot Ct.....			314				
Barker.....				512			
Baldwin.....			200				
Baker.....			599				
Beaver.....		3	1505				
Beech.....			760				
Brook.....	2		575			750	
Butler Ct.....	4						1085
Castle.....			272				
Colorado.....		1	937		514		
Carpenter.....			820				
Carroll.....		1	880				
Central Sq.....	2		280		285		
Centre.....		1	370				
Church.....	3	1	2690	850			
Chestnut.....			265				
City hall.....		1	312				
Coolidge.....		1	340				
Court.....	2		3431		655		
Cross.....		2	1000				
Clarke's block.....			185				
Crossfield.....			206				
Damon Ct.....			400				
Davis.....	3					1400	
Douglass.....		1	1060				
Dover.....			880				
Dunbar.....		1	1010				
Edwards.....			441				
Elliot.....		1	880				
Ellis Ct.....			300				
Elm.....			2090				
Emerald.....			865				
Fairfield Ct.....			220				
Forest.....			1234				
Franklin.....		1	960				
Fowler.....			262				
Foster.....			600				
Gardner.....			194				
Gates.....			150				
Gilsum.....			960				
Grant.....		1	600				
Green.....			450				
Greenlawn.....			350				

## KEENE SEWERS.

MAINS AND LATERALS IN USE DEC. 1, 1905.—*Continued.*

STREET.	M. H.	Tank.	6 in.	8 in.	10 in.	12 in.	15 in.
Grove.....		1	750				
Gurnsey.....			362				
Harrison.....	4						560
High.....		3	1538				
Howard.....			1003				
Howard Ct.....			218				
Howard Place.....			200				
Jennison.....			188				
Kelleher.....	3						1040
Kingsbury.....			416				
Lincoln.....		2	1930				
Leverett.....			286	360			
Main.....	5	5	6108	775	240	1022	
Marlboro.....		1	1760				
Maple.....			426				
Mechanic.....	1	1	450	320			
Middle.....		1	325				
Monadnock.....			220				
Myrtle.....			400				
Mystic.....			200				
Midway.....			300				
Ninety-Third.....			170				
North.....			445				
North Lincoln.....		1	815				
Oak.....		1	505				
Proctor Ct.....			494				
Park.....			362				
Page.....		1	620				
Pine.....			440				
Pleasant.....			480				
Probate.....			726				
Prospect.....		1	260				
Portland.....				350			
River.....				1230			
Richardson Ct.....			600				
Railroad.....		1	1160				
Railroad Sq.....			460				
Ralston.....	2		350			680	
Roxbury.....	2	2	3029	800			
School.....		1	1720				
South.....			506				
Spring.....		1	745				
Spruce.....		1	483				
Summer.....		1	690				
St. James.....		1	270				
Taylor.....		1	500				
Terrace.....		1	605				
Towns.....			190				



## KEENE SEWERS.

MAINS AND LATERALS IN USE DEC. 1, 1905.—*Continued.*

STREET.	M. H.	Tank.	6 in.	8 in.	10 in.	12 in.	15 in.
Towns Ct.....			240				
Union.....		2	740				
Valley.....		1	1050				
Vernon.....		1	320		200		
Washington.....		1	3180				
Washington Ave.....			110				
Water.....	2	2	2743	665			
West.....		1	2690				
Willow.....		1	760				
Woodburn.....			1230				
Wells.....			70				
Wilson.....		2	724				
Winchester.....			1520				200
Winchester Ct.....			550				
Wilber.....			530				
Winter.....		1	850				
Wyman Way.....			838	100			
Wyman Way Ct.....			180				
Beaver main.....	17						6180
Beaver mills.....			315				
Totals.....	56	57	86723	5962	3638	3852	9065

Manholes, 56.

Flush tanks, 57.

6-inch pipe.....	86,723
8-inch pipe.....	5,962
10-inch pipe.....	3,638
12-inch pipe.....	3,852
15-inch pipe.....	9,065

Total, 109,240 feet, or 20 miles, 3640 feet.

TABLE SHOWING YEAR SEWER PIPE WAS LAID  
IN EACH STREET.

Street.	When laid.
Adams.....	1885, 1888, 1889
Appian Way.....	1890
Armory.....	1897, 1898, 1903
Appleton.....	1900
Ashuelot.....	1900
Ashuelot court.....	1900
Barker.....	1900
Baldwin.....	1895, 1899
Baker.....	1896
Beaver.....	1882, 1883, 1894, 1905
Beech.....	1882, 1883
Brook.....	1882, 1890, 1893, 1894
Butler court.....	1882
Castle.....	1900
Colorado.....	1882, 1883, 1900
Carpenter.....	1894, 1903
Carroll.....	1882, 1883, 1897
Central square.....	1882, 1883
Centre.....	1882, 1883
Church.....	1882, 1883, 1890
Chestnut.....	1895
City hall.....	1884
Coolidge.....	1882, 1883
Court.....	1882, 1883, 1885, 1886, 1888, 1901, 1902
Cross.....	1882, 1883
Clarke's block.....	1899
Crossfield.....	1899
Damon court.....	1899
Davis.....	1882
Douglas.....	1882, 1883, 1897
Dover.....	1882, 1883
Dunbar.....	1882, 1883
Edwards.....	1894, 1899
Elliot.....	1882, 1883

Ellis court.....	1904
Elm.....	1882, 1883, 1888, 1895
Emerald.....	1897, 1903
Fairfield court.....	1892
Forest.....	1885, 1890, 1893, 1903
Franklin.....	1882, 1883
Fowler.....	1894
Foster.....	1895
Gardner.....	1899, 1901
Gates.....	1895
Gilsum.....	1893, 1895, 1904
Grant.....	1882, 1883
Green.....	1882
Greenlawn.....	1890
Grove.....	1888, 1889
Gurnsey.....	1892
Harrison.....	1882, 1883
High.....	1882, 1883, 1888
Howard.....	1882, 1883, 1896
Howard court.....	1899
Howard place.....	1900
Jennison.....	1898, 1899
Kelleher.....	1882, 1883
Kingsbury.....	1903
Leverett.....	1900, 1902, 1903
Main.....	1882, 1883, 1899, 1900
Marlboro.....	1882, 1883
Maple.....	1899
Mechanic.....	1882, 1883
Middle.....	1882, 1883
Mystic place.....	1895
Midway.....	1895
Monadnock.....	1894
Ninety-Third.....	1895
North.....	1892, 1893
North Lincoln.....	1889, 1894, 1895, 1896
Oak.....	1889

Proctor court.....	1900, 1901
Park.....	1900
Page.....	1889, 1894
Pine.....	1892
Pleasant.....	1882, 1883
Probate.....	1892, 1895, 1896
Prospect.....	1886
Portland.....	1902
River.....	1902
Richardson court.....	1902, 1903, 1905
Railroad.....	1893, 1896
Railroad square.....	1891, 1893, 1899
Ralston.....	1882, 1895
Roxbury.....	1882, 1883, 1903
School.....	1882, 1883
South.....	1894, 1896, 1898
South Lincoln.....	1882, 1883
Spring.....	1882, 1883, 1888
Spruce.....	1893, 1897, 1898, 1903
Summer.....	1882, 1883
St. James.....	1899
Taylor.....	1882, 1883
Terrace.....	1890, 1905
Towns.....	1888
Towns court.....	1899
Union.....	1882, 1883
Valley.....	1882, 1883
Vernon.....	1882, 1883
Washington.....	1882, 1883, 1884, 1897
Washington avenue.....	1904
Water.....	1882, 1883, 1893, 1895, 1898
West.....	1882, 1883, 1903
Willow.....	1882, 1883, 1903
Woodburn.....	1902, 1904
Wells.....	1901
Wilson.....	1888, 1897
Winchester.....	1882, 1883, 1895

Winchester court.....	1895
Wilber .....	1895
Winter .....	1882, 1883
Wyman Way.....	1898, 1902
Wyman Way court.....	1902
Beaver main.....	1882, 1883
Beaver mills.....	1894

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The sewers have been thoroughly cleaned and put in good condition for the winter. I would like to impress upon the public that the sewers were not intended to be a receptacle for old clothes, bones, cutlery, tin ware, fish rods, etc., as the above articles tend to cause the department considerable trouble.

Respectfully submitted,

PAUL F. BABIDGE,  
Superintendent.

## DRAIN DEPARTMENT.

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Paid water department, labor,	\$300 00
Sewer department, labor,	100 00
Pay-roll, labor,	718 58
E. H. Fletcher, hay,	9 00
Humphrey Machine Co., castings,	7 20
Knowlton & Stone, pipe, etc.,	550 72
J. Duffy, goods,	5 00
Allen & Crosier, work,	7 05
D. R. & F. A. Cole, grain,	23 74
L. J. Colony estate, hay,	21 12
R. Ray, work,	8 25
G. H. Tilden, goods,	2 00
A. E. Barnard, work,	4 05
Paul F. Babbidge, express, etc.,	10 00
Y. Jones, work,	1 05
Spencer & Co., goods,	26
F. L. Carey, goods,	2 50
H. W. Hubbard, goods and work,	40 00
G. H. Eames, grain,	14 71
G. B. Robertson, work,	22 35
Geo. Giffin, coal,	15 19
C. M. Cummings, goods,	5 00
A. E. Fish, goods,	1 75
G. M. Rossman, goods,	2 00
L. E. Joslin, hay,	3 50
Concord Foundry, castings,	61 20
B. & M. Railroad, freight,	1 44
G. W. Ball's Son, brick,	10 80
J. P. Wellman, stamps,	2 50
Beaver Mills, lumber,	4 21
D. McGregor, goods,	1 25
Highway department, team work,	77 69

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## CR.

By labor and stock on new drains,	\$1,269 59	
Cash for labor,	42 87	
	<hr/>	\$1,312 46
Cost of maintenance,		<hr/> \$721 65

## COST OF NEW DRAINS, 1905.

## ISLAND STREET.

Pipe, cement, etc.,	\$442 91	
Labor,	165 68	
	<hr/>	\$608 59

## COURT STREET.

Pipe, cement, etc.,	\$159 90	
Labor,	43 13	
	<hr/>	\$203 03

## EDWARDS STREET.

Pipe, cement, etc.,	\$5 80	
Labor,	3 00	
	<hr/>	\$8 80

## GILSUM STREET.

Pipe, cement, etc.,	\$208 52	
Labor,	42 50	
	<hr/>	\$251 02

## DITCH BETWEEN WASHINGTON AND GILSUM STREETS.

Pipe, cement, etc.,	\$16 00	
Labor,	93 00	
	<hr/>	\$109 00

## ELM STREET.

Pipe, cement, etc.,	\$23 57	
Labor,	<u>11 25</u>	
		\$34 82

## COLORADO STREET.

Brick, cement, etc.,	\$12 55	
Labor,	<u>3 00</u>	
		\$15 55

## DUNBAR AND CROSSFIELD STREETS.

Brick, cement, etc.,	\$12 55	
Labor,	<u>4 50</u>	
		\$17 05

## MAIN AND EMERALD STREETS.

Brick, cement, etc.,	\$6 50	
Labor,	<u>3 00</u>	
		\$9 50

## DAVIS STREET.

Pipe, cement, etc.,	\$3 44	
Labor,	<u>1 50</u>	
		\$4 94

## PEARL STREET.

Pipe, cement, etc.,	\$3 09	
Labor,	<u>1 50</u>	
		\$4 59
		<u>\$1,269 59</u>

Cost of new drains, 1905,	\$1,269 59	
Reported Dec. 1, 1904,	<u>32,536 30</u>	
Total cost of drains, December 1, 1905,		\$33,805 89

## NEW DRAINS LAID IN 1905.

Street.	G.	C. B.	6-in.	8-in.	10-in.	12-in.	24-in.
Island.....	4	3	14	96	438	612	
Court.....	2	3		185	293		
Edwards.....			40				
Gilsum.....	2					46	150
Open ditch.....							10
Elm.....	1				64		
Colorado.....		1					
Dunbar.....		1					
Main.....		1					
Davis.....	1						
Pearl.....	1						
	<u>11</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>54</u>	<u>281</u>	<u>795</u>	<u>658</u>	<u>160</u>

APPROXIMATE TABLE OF SURFACE DRAINS IN USE DEC. 1, 1905.

STREETS.	36 in. Brick.	24 in. Iron.	PIPE.								Stone.	Catch-basins.	Grates.	Manholes.	Stand-pipes.	Open Ditch.
			24 in.	20 in.	18 in.	15 in.	12 in.	10 in.	8 in.	6 in.						
Adams.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	195	32	.....	.....	3	.....	1	.....
Appian Way .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	375	540	89	182	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	.....
Appian Way Ct.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	260	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....
Appleton .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30	.....	1	1	.....	.....	.....
Brook.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	254	40	.....	1	5	.....	.....	.....
Beech.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	40	224	148	110	.....	2	4	.....	.....	.....
Carpenter.....	.....	.....	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Carroll.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	492	60	270	.....	1	6	.....	.....	.....
Central Sq.....	.....	.....	154	.....	.....	.....	320	100	290	.....	.....	4	8	.....	.....	.....
Centre.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	94	220	.....	.....	1	6	.....	.....	.....
Church.....	.....	.....	40	530	.....	.....	198	562	422	26	.....	6	18	.....	.....	.....
Crossfield.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	320	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....
Colorado.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	208	470	76	.....	2	7	.....	.....	.....
Coolidge.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	50	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....
Court.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1390	783	1450	200	.....	9	14	.....	.....	.....
Cross.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	286	156	34	.....	.....	10	.....	2	.....
Davis.....	.....	.....	450	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	2	.....	.....	.....
Douglass.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dover.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	273	226	12	.....	2	5	.....	.....	.....
Dunbar.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	90	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	.....
Edwards.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	230	252	.....	130	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
Elliot.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	550	.....	.....	1	2	.....	.....	.....
Elm.....	.....	.....	380	18	500	1839	166	.....	208	218	.....	5	28	.....	.....	.....
Emerald.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	315	245	330	89	190	.....	3	14	.....	.....	.....
Forest.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	64	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....

APPROXIMATE TABLE OF SURFACE DRAINS IN USE DEC. 1, 1905.—Continued.

STREETS.	36 in. Brick.	24 in. Iron.	PIPE.								Stone.	Catch-basins.	Grates.	Manholes.	Stand-pipes.	Open Ditch.
			24 in.	20 in.	18 in.	15 in.	12 in.	10 in.	8 in.	6 in.						
Franklin.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	300	70	.....	.....	6	.....	1	.....
Foster.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	980	40	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....
Gilsum.....	.....	150	.....	.....	.....	.....	46	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....
Green.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	415	.....	12	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	.....
Greenlawn.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	40	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....
Grove.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	570	112	.....	.....	9	.....	.....	.....
Gurnsey.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	128	30	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	.....
Harrison.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	250	.....	.....	20	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	.....
High.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	408	240	.....	.....	14	.....	.....	.....
Howard.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	768	44	146	.....	3	14	.....	.....	.....
Island.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	612	438	96	14	.....	3	4	.....	.....	.....
Kingsbury.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	70	60	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Main.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	40	645	616	1830	60	.....	17	13	.....	1	.....
Marlboro.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	572	840	648	416	210	.....	2	22	.....	.....	.....
Mechanic.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	230	.....	.....	68	258	.....	.....	1	10	.....	.....	.....
Madison.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	95	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....
Middle.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	300	80	.....	.....	7	.....	.....	.....
North.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	140	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....
Pine.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	130	80	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	.....
Pearl.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	380	62	50	.....	.....	7	.....	.....	.....
Pleasant.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	260	200	.....	20	.....	.....	2	4	.....	.....	.....
Probate.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	630	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	6	.....	.....	.....
Prospect.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	42	44	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....
Park Ave.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	62	.....	156	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Railroad.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1290	.....	.....	.....	.....	120	.....	2	8	.....	.....	.....

APPROXIMATE TABLE OF SURFACE DRAINS IN USE DEC. 1, 1905.—Continued.

STREETS.	36 in. Brick.	24 in. Iron.	Pipe.							Stone.	Catch-basins.	Grates.	Manholes.	Stand-pipes.	Open Ditch.
			24 in.	20 in.	18 in.	15 in.	12 in.	10 in.	8 in.	6 in.					
Ralston .....	.....	.....	628	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	516	528	3	1	.....	.....	.....
Roxbury .....	920	.....	128	.....	.....	.....	818	837	516	.....	9	30	3	.....	.....
School .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	760	.....	80	90	2	9	.....	.....	.....
Spring .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	250	125	20	.....	5	.....	1	.....
Spruce .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	250	.....	42	44	97	56	.....	6	.....	.....	.....
St. James .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	340	112	76	.....	1	.....	.....	.....
South .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	86	106	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....
Summer .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	465	180	1	7	.....	.....	.....
South Lincoln .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	132	.....	26	210	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Tyler Ravine .....	.....	.....	.....	21	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Valley .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	125	54	6	.....	4	.....	.....	.....
Vernon .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	335	24	.....	5	.....	.....	.....
Washington .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	336	1570	280	735	485	9	14	5	.....	.....
Water .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1830	.....	514	206	3	16	2	.....	.....
Wilson .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	430	195	.....	.....	6	.....	.....	.....
West .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	250	1115	.....	84	572	110	4	23	.....	.....	.....
Wells .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	300	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1	.....	.....	.....
Winchester .....	.....	.....	.....	74	.....	860	682	.....	188	.....	1	8	2	.....	.....
Winter .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	550	.....	.....	182	342	1	17	.....	.....	.....
Wilber .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	80	.....	.....	1	1	.....	.....	.....
Private Land:	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Town brook .....	85	.....	.....	.....	360	.....	.....	.....	.....	760	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
St. James to river .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1055	.....	.....	.....	.....	130	1	4	.....	.....	1058
Through railroad land .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2400	.....	.....	.....	.....	350	2	.....	.....	.....	.....
Elliot to brook .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	50	340	451	240	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....



APPROXIMATE TABLE OF SURFACE DRAINS IN USE DEC. 1, 1905.—Continued.

STREETS.	36 in. Brick.	24 in. Iron.	PIPE.								Stone.	Catch-basins.	Grates.	Manholes.	Stand-pipes.	Open Ditch.
			24 in.	20 in.	18 in.	15 in.	12 in.	10 in.	8 in.	6 in.						
Private Land:—Continued.																
Baker to brook.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	475	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Beaver brook, Roxb'y to river.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	176	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6770
Portland to West.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	320	.....	.....	1	.....	2670
Washington to Canal.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2094
Totals.....	920	85	288	628	5238	6515	14905	10929	15552	6634	1335	116	460	4	15	12592

RECAPITULATION.

63,313 feet of covered drains=11 miles, 5,233 feet.

12,592 feet open ditch=2 miles, 2,032 feet.

Respectfully submitted,

PAUL F. BABBIDGE,  
Superintendent.

## REPORT OF THE INSPECTOR OF PLUMBING

FOR THE YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 1, 1905.

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Number of permits granted,	49	
Reported September 1, 1904,	417	
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Whole number September 1, 1905,		466

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## MAINTENANCE.

Paid water department, stock and labor,	\$150 00
Respectfully submitted,	

PAUL F. BABIDGE,  
Inspector.

REPORT OF  
SUPERINTENDENT OF HIGHWAYS.

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*To His Honor the Mayor and City Councils :*

I herewith transmit the following report for the year ending December 1, 1905.

LIST OF PROPERTY BELONGING TO THE CITY OF KEENE.

Eight horses, ten harnesses, four carts, one wagon, two tip carts and harnesses, three sleds, twelve blankets, sixteen snow plows, two snow rollers, one steam roller, two large and one small roller, one Climax road machine, one Champion road machine, two plows, one hardpan plow, seventeen picks, three bog hoes, fifteen shovels, three striking hammers, four face hammers, eight hoes, eight stone pickers, four brush hooks, three hooks, eight iron bars, four augers, one level, two brush scythes and snaths, six saws, one grindstone, four axes, five iron rakes, twelve stone forks, one dump barrow, twenty drills, one derrick, bits and brace, three paving hammers, one ice scraper, two ladders, four brushes, four curry combs, one oil can, eight lanterns, two small hammers, eight small drills, shims and wedges, five wrenches, six neck yokes, four forks, one vise, one stone boat on wheels, four chains, four spread chains, eight halters, one snow scraper, two screens, twelve whiffletrees, eight fly nets, one Towne macadam scraper, two sanding sleds, 6,000 feet of lumber.

## STREET REPAIRS.

Adams street,	\$12 00
Armory street,	10 00
Appian Way,	10 00
Ashuelot street,	5 00
Arch street,	47 50
Bradford street,	22 00
Barker street,	37 00
Baker street,	42 00
Beaver street,	21 00
Brook street,	10 00
Beach street,	2 00
Butler court,	4 00
Baldwin street,	8 00
Carpenter street,	6 00
Chestnut street,	3 00
Court street,	275 00
Center street,	5 00
Church street,	6 00
Colorado street,	22 50
Carroll street,	30 50
Coolidge street,	14 00
Cross street,	4 00
Dover street,	3 00
Davis street,	78 75
Douglass street,	8 00
Dunbar street,	17 00
Damon court,	18 00
Edwards street,	35 00
Eastern avenue,	16 00
East Prospect street,	23 50
Elm street,	73 00
Emerald street,	61 00
Ellis court,	26 00
Forest street,	66 00
Foster street,	17 00
Franklin street,	2 00

Gardner street,	\$7 00
George street,	8 00
Gilsum street,	91 35
Greenlawn street,	7 00
Grant street,	2 00
Grove street,	6 00
Gates street,	10 00
Giffin street,	10 00
Gurnsey street,	17 00
Harrison street,	4 00
High street,	142 50
Howard street,	28 00
Island street,	104 50
Jennison street,	14 00
Kelleher street,	21 00
Leverett street,	20 00
Linden street,	4 00
Main street,	137 00
McKinley street,	48 50
Maple avenue,	37 00
Marlboro street,	179 00
Mechanic street,	7 00
Maple street,	6 00
Middle street,	2 00
Myrtle street,	10 00
Ninety-Third street,	4 00
Norway street,	10 00
North Lincoln street,	23 00
North street,	15 00
Oak street,	3 00
Page street,	34 00
Pine avenue,	31 00
Park street,	56 00
Park avenue,	16 00
Pearl street,	62 25
Pitcher street,	27 25
Portland street,	10 00



Prospect street,	\$26 00
Railroad street,	55 50
Rule street,	3 00
Ralston street,	20 50
River street,	16 00
Roxbury street,	42 00
Russell street,	86 00
Richardson court,	60 00
School street,	10 00
South Lincoln street,	17 00
Spring street,	21 00
Spruce street,	31 00
Sullivan street,	11 00
Summer street,	6 00
Terrace street,	12 00
Towns street,	7 00
Valley street,	2 00
Vernon street,	11 00
Washington street,	112 50
Washington avenue,	21 00
Water street,	40 50
Willow street,	64 00
Winchester street,	71 00
Winter street,	4 00
Wells street,	10 00
West street,	186 00
Wilbur street,	8 00
Wyman Way,	18 00

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ROAD REPAIRS.

Beech Hill, South road,	\$32 75
Beech Hill, North road,	29 25
Beech Hill, Peg Shop road,	28 00
Branch road, off Marlboro road,	8 00
Belvedere road,	21 50
Concord road,	125 50

Chesterfield road,	\$83 <sup>27</sup> / <sub>100</sub>
Gunn road,	35 25
Gilsum Brook road,	76 00
Grimes road,	13 00
Hastings avenue,	10 00
Jordan road,	8 00
Marlboro road,	125 00
Mackey road,	28 65
Meadow road,	6 00
Nims road,	16 00
Osgood road,	33 00
Old Gilsum road,	39 00
Reed road,	10 00
Roxbury road,	16 00
Surry, East road,	16 00
Smith road,	11 75
Swanzey road,	8 00
Sullivan old road,	8 00
Sullivan road,	24 00
Surry road,	59 45
Summit road,	86 25
Stearns road,	28 00
Westmoreland old road,	114 50
West Hill road,	28 50
Walpole old road,	59 00

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 BRIDGES.

Labor,	\$264 50
Plank,	401 00

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## CLEARING SNOW.

M. C. Ellis,	\$12 00
S. C. Ellis,	19 35

W. F. Gates,	\$35 00
W. G. Tucker,	35 00
I. Curtis,	29 00
N. Johnson,	4 40
W. L. Moore,	8 85
F. O. Wright,	9 00
Cutting and trimming trees,	96 00
Clearing snow from sidewalks,	477 75
Sanding sidewalks,	152 00
Cutting ice,	194 50
Cost of sand for sanding walks,	25 00

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#### MACADAM.

Macadam has been laid on the following streets at a cost of 32 cents a square yard: 3,807 square yards on School street, 1,986 square yards on Marlboro street near Main street, 2,165 square yards on Marlboro street near Cole's, making an expenditure of \$2,432.54.

The highway department has deposited with the city treasurer the following sums, to wit:

Rent of city pasture,	\$40 00
Street sprinkling,	1,020 00
Keeping horses for fire department,	260 00
Packing and unpacking hydrants,	9 00
Work for water works, sewer and drain department,	155 19
Gravel sold,	2 90
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	\$1,655 09

I would respectfully recommend:

1st. That the money appropriated for macadam roads next year be expended in repairing the macadam road on Court and Washington streets.

2d. That an iron bridge be built on Water street in place of the old wooden one now there.

3d. That some definite arrangement be made with the electric car company to move the car track on West street from the center to one side.

Very respectfully,

E. A. NIMS,  
Superintendent of Streets.

Keene, December 1, 1905.

## REPORT OF PARK COMMISSIONER.

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*To His Honor the Mayor and City Councils :*

The expenses of this department for the year ending Dec. 1, 1905, are as follows:

Balance from last year,	\$52 76
Appropriation,	200 00
Additional appropriation,	50 00
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	\$302 76
 Paid George A. Wheelock, salary, com- missioner,	 \$25 00
Sidney A. Ellis, work,	211 18
D. C. Twitchell, cleaning up park,	20 00
Charles Bissell, work,	11 70
Oliver Vigneau, work,	7 50
Antoine Vigneau, work,	7 50
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	\$282 88
Balance to new account,	\$19 88

Respectfully submitted,

G. A. WHEELLOCK,  
Park Commissioner.

Keene, December 1, 1905.

REPORT OF  
CHIEF ENGINEER OF FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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*To His Honor the Mayor and City Councils :*

Gentlemen.—I have to report that the department has responded to sixty-two calls during the past year, sixteen bell and forty-six still alarms.

As per list appended, of fires' origin, losses, etc., you will find that the city has been unusually fortunate as regards losses—the net loss being but \$720—over one-half of which was from brush fires.

There has been added to the department as follows: One pair horses for Deluge hose, fifteen hundred feet of rubber lined hose, one hose sled for Steamer Company, uniforms to the extent of \$125, three dozen mittens.

There is on hand at this date, 7,000 feet of hose, 1,000 of which has given out and has been repaired.

Among the needs of the department I make the following memoranda: Five hundred feet of new hose to keep up with the depreciation, new horses for steamer, new body for sled of ladder truck, fire alarm box on station, rubber coats and boots, painting of station inside and out.

I have watched with much interest the plan adopted this year by the city of collecting rubbish, etc., weekly. I think there can be no doubt that this custom has diminished fires also to quite an extent, and an extension of the system would still further tend to lessen the fire losses.

Extending thanks to your honorable body and to my assistants and members of this department for their co-operation, I remain,

Yours respectfully,

FRED W. TOWNE,  
Chief Engineer.

Keene, December 11, 1905.



## FIRES AND LOSSES FOR YEAR ENDING NOV. 30, 1905.

Date.	Hour.	Box.	Location.	Owner.	Property.	Estimated Value.	Loss.	Insurance Paid	Origin.
Jan. 11	8.30 a. m.	16	Winchester st.	L. P. Butler.	Office.	\$2,000.	\$87.80	\$87.80	Unknown.
" 13	5.30 a. m.	46	Castle st.	H. H. Barker.	House.	2,000.	150.00	150.00	Furnace.
Feb. 28	6.40 p. m.	14	Water st.	J. P. Rust.	Manufactory.	25,000.	10.00	10.00	Chimney.
Mar. 14	5.50 p. m.	18	Off Marlboro st.	A. C. Hemmingway.	House.	1,500.	80.00	80.00	Chimney.
Apr. 15	3.00 p. m.	22	Help sent	Town of Surry.					
" 19	3.52 p. m.	22	Main st.	Electric Railway.	Park.	400.	400.00	50.00	Brush Fire.
" 24	2.35 p. m.	22	Goose Pond.	Albert Pond.	Wood lot.				Brush Fire.
" 27	11.30 a. m.	22	Winchester st.	Antoine Lower. [sell.			25.00		Brush Fire.
May 12	6.20 p. m.	22	Sullivan Road.	Giffin, Carroll & Mun-		2,500.	75.00		Brush Fire.
" 28	12.04 p. m.	14	Grove st.	Levi Fuller.	House.				Cushion in chair
July 4	12.45 a. m.	22	Main st.	City.	Storage barn.				Incenduary.
" 4	1.40 p. m.	9	Roxbury st.	Hayward Estate.	House.	3,000.	550.00	300.00	Unknown.
Aug. 10	10.20 p. m.	8	Main st.	Boston & Maine R. R.	Restaurant.	7,000.	510.00	510.00	
" 22	12.45 p. m.	22	Branch Road.	H. W. Nims.	Wood lot.				Brush Fire.
" 26	11.30 a. m.	14	Water st.	L. J. Martell.	Shop.	3,500.	40.00	20.00	Kerosene Engine
Nov. 1	6.50 p. m.	52	Foundry st.	Humphrey Mach. Co.	Foundry.	15,000.	100.00	100.00	Hot Stack.
							\$2,027.80	\$1,307.80	

December, 1904.—Five still alarms; all chimneys.

January, 1905.—Three still alarms; all chimneys.

February, 1905.—Five still alarms; all chimneys.

March, 1905.—Five still alarms; all chimneys.

April, 1905.—Five still alarms; all chimneys.

May, 1905.—Nine still alarms; four chimneys, one rubbish, one bed, three brush fires.

June, 1905.—Eight still alarms; six chimneys, one rubbish, one gasoline engine.

July, 1905.—One still alarm; chimney.

September, 1905.—Four still alarms; three chimneys, one lumber pile.

October, 1905.—One still alarm; chimney.

November, 1905.—Four still alarms; three chimneys, one gas muffler.

In addition to the above, two fires have been discovered and extinguished by the police.

Total number of alarms sixty-two; sixteen bell, forty-six still alarms.

## INVENTORY OF PROPERTY.

Steamer Button No. 2, steamer Amoskeag No. 1, one hand engine, Deluge hose wagon, steamer hose wagon, two hook and ladder trucks, two jumpers, 7,000 feet hose, eight extinguishers, four engineers' lanterns, two hydrant gates, two Y couplings, one Siamese coupling, one cellar pipe, six ladder dogs, uniforms, rubber coats and rubber boots for Steamer Co., uniforms, rubber coats and rubber boots for Hook and Ladder Co., uniforms, rubber coats and rubber boots for Deluge Hose Co., one sled for Hook and Ladder Co., one sled for Steamer Hose Co., one sled for Deluge Co., new, four sets swing harnesses.

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## FIRE ALARM TELEGRAPH.

Location of boxes and instructions to firemen and officers:

- Box 5. City Hospital.
- Box 8. Main street, corner Railroad street.
- Box 9. Central Square, on city hall.
- Box 13. Beaver Mills office.
- Box 14. Water street, corner Grove street.
- Box 15. Water street, corner South Lincoln street.
- Box 16. Main street, corner Marlboro street.
- Box 17. Main street, corner Baker street.
- Box 18. Marlboro street, corner Kelleher street.
- Box 19. Lower Marlboro street.
- Box 22. Central Telephone office.
- Box 23. Roxbury street, corner Beech street.
- Box 24. Beaver street, corner Dover street.
- Box 25. Washington street, near Giffin's mill.
- Box 26. Spring street, corner Brook street.
- Box 32. Elm street, corner High street.
- Box 33. Washington street, corner Gilsum street.
- Box 35. Court street, corner Prospect street.
- Box 37. Mechanic street, corner Pleasant street.

- Box 42. West street, corner School street.
- Box 43. West street, corner Ashuelot street.
- Box 46. Court street, corner School street.
- Box 52. Emerald street, corner Ralston street.
- Box 53. Winchester street, corner Island street.
- Box 65. South Keene.
- Box 72. West Keene.
- 12. Military call.

#### SIGNALS.

The following signals were adopted by the board of engineers, December 2, 1887, and are still in force.

1. The superintendent has the right to strike one blow upon the bells at any time, to test the circuit; also to ring in one round from any box, preceded by a single blow exactly five minutes after the noon stroke, on Saturdays, for the purpose of testing the boxes.

2. The signal 22 repeated on the bells is to call the firemen to their houses for further orders.

3. Two blows struck upon the bells after a fire alarm is a signal to "limber up," and recalls all firemen and apparatus to the engine houses, unless especially detailed for duty.

4. In case of a serious fire the engineers may cause a second alarm to be sounded from the nearest box. A second alarm is given by striking ten blows, followed by the box number.

5. As box 9, which is located on city hall, is still likely to be used for a general alarm, and to be pulled for a fire which is not in or near the square, the engineers will ring in a second alarm or four full rounds from this box, if there is fire of any magnitude near the square.

6. The old alarm on city hall will only be rung between 9 p. m. and 6 a. m., except in case of serious fire.

7. Arrangements have been made with the Beaver Mills Co., and alarms of fire will be given on their whistle same as by the bells.

## GENERAL RULES.

Firemen as well as citizens should familiarize themselves with the following rules for giving alarms of fire.

1. Never pull a box for a fire seen at a distance.

2. Never pull a box while the alarm bells are ringing, nor until a box has completed its four rounds. Two boxes cannot operate together and neither will work if two are pulled at the same time. Never pull two alarms or two boxes for the same fire. The engineers will sound second alarms if necessary.

3. To ring in an alarm, break the glass in the key box and open the outside door with the key. Pull down the brass crank, seen inside, *till it stops*, then let go. Then let the box alone. The clock will be seen or heard to be running, and the alarm will follow in half a minute or so. Close the box and remove the key.

Remember that the firemen will come directly to the box which has been pulled, and be sure that someone stays at the box to direct them to the fire.

## TELEPHONE ALARMS.

Box 22, which is located in the central telephone office, is the box which will be pulled to sound all alarms of fire sent in by telephone. When this box is pulled, firemen and all others can ascertain the location of the fire from the telephone office.

Do not send a telephone alarm if there is an alarm box within reasonable distance. Box alarms are always the surest and best. Telephones can seldom be used during thunder showers; the boxes can always be used.

To send in a telephone alarm, call the central office. Tell the operator slowly, first, the ward, then the street and house where the fire is situated. The operator will repeat, "Fire, ward so and so, such street or house." Answer, "all right," if you are correctly understood. If the fire is in South Keene or West Keene, give the fact instead of the ward number. The operator will then leave the telephone and sound the alarm.

## REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF FIRE ALARM TELEGRAPH.

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*To His Honor the Mayor and Gentlemen of the City Councils:*

The fire alarm system, which is in its usual good condition, comprises twenty miles of wire, twenty-nine pairs of magnets, a battery of one hundred and forty cells, twenty-seven fire alarm boxes, two public alarm bells and several private call bells for firemen. An additional box has been placed on the Elliot City Hospital building, numbered 5, and I recommend that one be installed at the fire station the coming season.

I also recommend that four of the old boxes, numbers 52, 53, 72 and 13, be remodeled the coming year, those which have been made over and contain improvements at an expense of about one-half the cost of new boxes, having proved very satisfactory in their operation.

The public should become familiar with the instructions in relation to sending fire alarms and the location of boxes, set forth in the chief engineer's report.

JOSEPH F. EMMONS,

Superintendent of Fire Alarm Telegraph.

Keene, December 11, 1905.



REPORT OF  
TRUSTEES OF KEENE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

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*To the Honorable Mayor and City Councils:*

The trustees of the public library submit the following report:

Since last May, when the work of recataloging was finished, the librarian has been able to give more attention to the general library work, and we are pleased to have noted the benefit this has been to the public, in the care of the books, the reference work and the increased circulation.

The trustees feel keenly the necessity of a larger book or stack room, fireproof and suitable for the permanent use of the library, and for the safe preservation of its many valuable books and papers, more strongly at this time than ever before as there is not enough room to accommodate the growth of another year, and we earnestly recommend this need to your earliest attention.

In March the trustees received the resignation of the janitor, Mr. Ira D. Gates, who has faithfully discharged his duties since the library occupied the Thayer building. The position has since been filled to their satisfaction by Mr. T. Jewett Locke.

The trustees have held regular quarterly meetings on the second Tuesday of the month since last January, and at these meetings are glad to receive any communications from the library patrons which may enable them to further accommodate the public.

The trustees again notice the exhibitions of pictures of the Library Art Club, which are so much enjoyed, as being continued through the generosity of the same interested friend.

For further information and statistics we refer you to the librarian's report hereby appended.

MARY A. A. PRENTISS,  
Keene, December 5, 1905.

Secretary.



## REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN.

*To the Board of Trustees:*

The report of the librarian for the year ending December 1, 1905, is hereby submitted:

The statement of the general financial condition of the public library at the close of the year 1905 can be seen from the last monthly statement submitted by Mr. Kingsbury; also the exact balance of book money. The balance of book money is I believe over \$370, a sum sufficient to replace some of the sets of standard works so badly worn.

Special attention has been paid to the binding during the past year, about \$95 having been spent for this purpose, and the general appearance of the shelves has been improved by the fresh covers.

During the past year 672 volumes have been added to the library, 541 by purchase and 131 by gift.

The gifts include Dr. Elizabeth B. Reed's medical library of 71 volumes, also the pictures of the four prominent authors represented in her gift, Spencer, Huxley, Darwin and Tyndall; a few of the other gifts were personal and the remainder government and state publications.

A few new magazines have been added to our list in order to cover as far as we are able the various demands of our readers, and so make our periodical department as useful as possible.

Our circulation shows an increase of 2,193 over that of last year, also a slight increase in the number of cards issued to borrowers.

The pictures from the Library Art Club, have been varied and attractive, and have been greatly appreciated by those who are interested in this line.

The work of recataloging was completed in May of this year, and has since then left more time for reference

work. Reference shelves has been set aside for the teachers in their school work when they have wished, and any other department of school, club or church work will gladly be allowed the same privileges, if they make their wishes known. Since the cataloging has been completed, an assistant has been allowed, time not to exceed thirty hours a week. Miss Sherman acting as first, and Miss Bessie McGregor as second assistant.

A vacation of three weeks was allowed the librarian, she furnishing her substitute during her absence, and two weeks of the same were taken during the month of August.

On looking back over the past year, so prosperous and filled with its varied pleasures, I regret to note that your librarian has necessarily been absent from her duties about four weeks on account of illness. It has however, been her aim at all times to see that her work has in no way suffered in the end. During her absence, Miss Sherman, assisted by Miss McGregor, carried on the regular work in her usual competent manner.

We have in a brief way reviewed the records of the past year, and will for a moment be more progressive and look to some of the needs of the coming year.

The following are merely suggestions, not requests, to be considered by the board of trustees at their pleasure.

As our library increases in size, so it has increased in bequests and material gifts, and, so in proportion must it advance in usefulness, and facilities necessary to this end.

As always the needed children's room awaits our earliest possible thought, and our overcrowded shelves in the stack room are a constant reminder of the need in this line. These are, of course, questions which need time and thought to bring about satisfactorily. In the meantime there are lesser, but quite as important questions to be considered.

We want to make our library attractive, and to do this we must, as in other progressive institutions, constantly put into use new ideas. When a class in school, a

club, or an individual, is interested in a special subject, we must have time to prepare a bibliography for them, and so get all the library's material on the subject together.

We want to make reading lists to be published in the paper periodically, and put into use many other devices necessary to bring the otherwise latent material before our readers.

It has been proved that these things are impossible with the regular work, when allowed an assistant only a part of each day. Would not the gain more than outweigh the extra time?

Another question, which as always confronts us, but is perhaps brought more forcibly before us since the failure of the Booklover's library, is the subject of fiction.

Surely a public library, not a fiction circulating library cannot afford to spend its book money, and fill its already crowded shelves with this late fiction, by unknown authors, that is read today and forgotten tomorrow.

Some readers suggest a hired circulating library, as the Bodley club, saying it has been tried in other libraries and with success.

The Bodley club is a library on a wholesale plan; that is to say the books are rented in bulk to individuals and to institutions.

The parties renting the books let them out to patrons on whatever terms they choose, usually on the plan of two cents a day. The rates of rental vary from \$25 to \$600, according to the number of books taken.

This plan has been tried in some twenty different libraries with varied success, but this of course takes time and room, both of which are items to be considered carefully.

Respectfully submitted,

MAUD E. BLOOMINGDALE.

STATISTICAL REPORT FOR YEAR, DEC. 1, 1904,  
DEC. 1, 1905.

Number of volumes, December 1, 1904,		12,896
Number of volumes, by purchase,	500	
Number of volumes, by gift,	131	
Number of volumes, by binding periodicals,	41	
Total additions, fiction 261, miscellaneous 411,	672	
Number of volumes lost and discarded,	147	
Net additions,		<u>525</u>
Total number of volumes, December 1, 1905,		13,421
Number of volumes rebound,		152
Number of cards issued to borrowers,		344
Largest number of volumes issued in one month, November,		2,748
Largest number of volumes issued in one day, April 8,		240
Least number of volumes issued in one day, January 3,		27
Average per day,		93 $\frac{1}{3}$
Number of volumes issued during year, fiction,	23,049	
Number of volumes issued during year, miscellaneous,	5,422	
Total circulation,		<u>28,471</u>
Total circulation last year,		26,278
Increase circulation,		2,193

## REPORT OF CITY CLERK.

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*To His Honor the Mayor and Gentlemen of the City Councils:*

I herewith submit the report of my receipts from December 1, 1904, to December 1, 1905:

Rent of stores,	\$914 40
Rent of Perry place,	250 00
Rent of land, part of city hall lot,	20 00
Rent of reservoir,	200 00
Rent of city pasture,	40 00
Rent of Fairfield pasture,	15 00
Dog license fees,	961 79
House numbers,	9 40
Miscellaneous licenses,	71 00
Billiard and pool table licenses,	100 00
Junk dealer's licenses,	100 00
Cemetery funds,	600 00
Library fines,	85 00
Hedgehog bounties paid for state of New Hampshire,	24 50
Error on Beaver Mills account, (macadam),	78 65
G. H. Cutting & Co., gravel,	2 90
Highway department for work for fire and water departments, and street sprinkling,	1,612 19
From sales of the history of Keene,	1,792 00
From sales of vital statistics of the town of Keene,	35 75



Lewis W. Holmes, costs accruing to marshal and patrolmen required by ordinance to be returned to the city,	\$410 56
J. N. Keller, brush fire,	22 00
Etta M. Yardley, intelligence office license,	2 00
Pipe,	2 80
Liquor agent's balance,	39 97
E. H. Fletcher, Alice Parker account,	5 00
F. E. Barrett, horses,	200 00
E. H. Fletcher, rent returned (county pauper account),	7 00
Sale of catalogues (library),	63
W. D. Lovejoy, bowling alley licenses, (part of year),	15 00
First Congregational Society, concrete assessment,	14 29
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	\$7,631 83
I have paid to the city treasurer the sum of	\$7,612 83
Disbursed to firemen, Keller fire,	9 00
Paid G. A. Nims & Co., teams, Keller fire,	10 00
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	\$7,631 83
FRANK H. WHITCOMB,	
City Clerk.	

Keene, December 1, 1905.



## REPORT OF CITY MESSENGER.

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*To His Honor the Mayor and Gentlemen of the City Councils :*

The collections for use of city hall for the year ending November 30, 1905, amount to \$1,683.20.

Orchestra lights have been installed during the past year and modern seats have been ordered by the committee to be substituted for the unsightly and uncomfortable settees now in use.

The old settees have been used by the public for gatherings outside of city hall, and provision should be made at once for the sale or storage of such number as may be found safe and fit for use, as no room in the city hall building will furnish adequate space for them when the new chairs arrive.

JOSEPH F. EMMONS,  
City Messenger.

Keene, December 11, 1905.

## REPORT OF OVERSEER OF POOR.

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*To His Honor the Mayor and Gentlemen of the City Councils :*

I herewith submit the annual report for the year ending December 1, 1905.

During the past year I have furnished aid to the county poor as follows:

Mrs. Esther Whitcomb,	\$78 20
Mrs. Jerry Donovan,	17 08
Mrs. Mary Crouch,	60 00
Mrs. Daniel Kelleher,	147 90
Mrs. Mary O'Neil,	48 00
Mrs. George Monkton,	20 85
Mrs. M. Champaigne,	72 00
Mrs. Hattie Hastings,	96 00
Mrs. Burton Towne,	103 44
Mrs. Frank Burcham,	86 <sup>17</sup> 08
Mrs. L. Seavey,	60 00
Mrs. Lewis Castor,	33 51
Mrs. Delia Boyea,	21 26
Mrs. Lucy Hopkins,	65
Mrs. E. W. Hadley,	78 20
Mrs. Everett Newell,	96 00
Mrs. George Clasby,	90 44
Miss C. B. Hastings,	96 00
Mrs. Annie Erickson,	54 00
Mrs. Martha Griffith,	70 38
Mrs. N. A. Rice,	51 75
Mrs. Mary Bigelow,	228 15

Miss Nellie Mahar,	\$78 20
Mrs. Margaret Southwick,	48 00
Mrs. Abner Sprague,	155 00
Mrs. Ella King,	103 83
Mrs. Charles Britton,	66 00
Miss Ida Pierce,	78 20
Sullivan children,	192 00
Charles Parkhurst,	25 90
Mrs. Mary Glynn,	84 00
Edward Willard,	80 25
Mrs. George Nimmo,	82 73
Timothy Curran,	93 54
Mrs. William I. Wood,	78 00
Mrs. Emily Blanchard,	120 00
Mrs. Kate Lamson,	112 00
Mrs. Arbella Robinson,	78 00
Mrs. Kate Donovan,	60 00
Mrs. Isabel Carney,	160 00
Patrick Hickey,	49 30
Mrs. Charles Burns,	15 00
Mrs. Mark Barron,	144 00
Mrs. Maban Corey,	31 86
Mrs. Fred Sharkey,	21 71
James Gokee,	6 00
Dennis Donovan,	8 93
John Lemere,	6 00
William Laporte,	2 00
John Scarboro,	50 50
Mrs. Eldridge,	7 50
Ellen Dugan,	4 96
Mrs. Antoine Lavoie,	48 00
Arthur Punt,	3 00
Mrs. Ann Munn,	15 00
Norcross child,	10 00
George Leranger,	4 00
C. H. Alford,	27 89
Patrick Wall,	8 15

Mrs. Jennie Learey,	\$15 00
Frank Burcham,	15 05
Wright child,	5 00
Edward Waters,	65
Mrs. Richard Golden,	38 08
Mrs. Joseph Lapoint,	37 00
Mrs. Ira Brown,	28 39
Mrs. Minnie Cummings,	36 00
Frank Sharkey,	40 00
E. A. Clark,	8 00
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	\$3,992 51

#### AID TO DEPENDENT SOLDIERS AND THEIR FAMILIES.

Mrs. John L. Britton,	\$72 00
Mrs. N. J. Barlow,	60 00
Edward Baker,	162 00
Mrs. Hewitt,	2 50
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	\$296 50

#### CITY PAUPERS.

Mrs. Annie Brown,	\$114 73
Mrs. Nellie Lee,	24 50
Owen Carroll,	78 00
Mrs. Eugenie Claywood,	12 00
Mrs. Alice Parker,	48 28
Patrick Touchey,	9 37
Mrs. Ellen Hanley,	152 00
Mrs. C. C. Parker,	96 00
Miss A. S. Bailey,	57 07
Miss E. A. Bailey,	66 00
Oscar W. Spaulding,	120 00
Mrs. S. A. Carpenter,	56 00

Phillip Bowen,	\$83 86
Mrs. Timothy Ryan,	75 00
Sumner Baker,	33 15
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	\$1,025 96
W. H. Spalter, stationery,	\$1 10
Affidavits,	1 50
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	\$1,028 56

In the amount expended for city paupers, \$192.73 is for paupers in institutions outside of the city. .

E. H. FLETCHER,  
Overseer of Poor.

## REPORT OF CITY PHYSICIAN.

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*To the Honorable Mayor and City Government of Keene:*

I submit my report as city physician for the year 1905:

We have had two cases of diphtheria and three cases of measles, with no fatalities.

There have been two deaths during the year, organic heart disease, ovarian cyst.

The following cases have been under treatment: Organic heart disease, two diphtheria, three measles, cardiac, asthma and rheumatism, anaemia, rectal hemorrhage, four influenza, teething baby, scabies, epilepsy, two general debility, two gastritis, melancholia, tonsilitis, varicose veins and eczema, metrombagia, chronic delusional insanity.

There have been attended at the police station, one case of exposure, sprained ankle, four alcoholism, enlarged liver, orchitis, insanity, incised wound of forehead. I have made, house calls 82, office calls 11, and hospital 72.

Respectfully,

CHAS. S. WALKER.

November 30, 1905.



## REPORT OF BOARD OF HEALTH.

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### *To the City Councils of Keene :*

In submitting our yearly report as health commissioners for this city, we would say that there have been more matters which have come under our care and observation, requiring our attention, than usual. And although in some things it may seem that the duties of this office ought to be less each year, as things become more settled as a city, yet it continues to grow in importance as the years go by.

In addition to the usual duties required of us heretofore, the last legislature passed a law requiring local boards of health in every city and town, in cases of death from pulmonary consumption, to cause the infected premises to be thoroughly disinfected and cleansed; the work to be carried out by methods endorsed and recommended by the state board of health. Not only does the law require the local boards to do this work, but the state board is anxious to know that this is faithfully attended to. There have been several cases of death from pulmonary consumption and tuberculosis reported to us during the year, and in every case the premises have been thoroughly disinfected and cleansed as far as it is possible to do it, as the law requires.

During last winter and early spring there was an unusual epidemic of measles in the city. There were reported to us as many as 557 cases in all. From those cases there were reported only two deaths, and the death of one of those was reported as pneumonia, resulting probably from

the measles. All of those cases as they were reported to us, either by the physician or some member of the family, were then immediately reported by this board to the state board, and the same cases were reported weekly to the state board as long as each person was sick, and the disease lasted. This is true in cases of scarlet fever and diphtheria.

In the past twelve months there have come to this board reports of 12 cases of scarlet fever as existing in the city, and from these cases there has been no deaths. Also 5 cases of diphtheria have been reported and one death from that disease. The case of death from the last named disease seemed to be of a malignant type, and in this case the patient died before this board was notified of the sickness.

In all cases of scarlet fever and diphtheria a most rigid quarantine was enforced and insisted on, which must have checked the diseases, confining the same to the family where it originated or it was discovered. By that means the same was prevented from spreading to other families. In many cases where quarantine is required, the families are of moderate means, and the needs of the inmates of the household are such as to call for help to be furnished to them temporarily, during the continuance of the disease and the isolation of the family. The law provides that it shall be our duty in case of quarantine in needy cases to furnish means of subsistence for them during the continuance of the quarantine. We have attended to this branch of our duty in as prudent a manner as possible, as in many of those cases the families are large, and their stock of provisions is generally low.

Whatever we have done to guard against the spread of malignant and contagious diseases, we have acted on the principle that if the same could be confined and not allowed to become epidemic, it is the cheaper in the end for the public, although the family might be assisted to a limited extent.

We have also at the request of the state board, furnished samples of food and supplies from the different stores and markets in the city, and milk from all of the different milk men who are selling in this community, that the same could be inspected and analyzed by the state chemist at Concord. It is a fact, that as a result of the food inspection department, there is less impure food of all kinds sold in the stores and markets of the city, and this is of great importance to the public generally.

One result of the labor in this direction has been to begin a prosecution for selling milk not up to the standard required by law, and although a person may be selling ignorantly and with no intent to deceive, yet he is not permitted to sell unless he can furnish such a quality of milk as the law says he shall sell. And should any person outside of the state ship food into this state to the dealers here to be sold again, for the purposes of consumption, if the goods on inspection are found to be impure, such dealer or firm are notified that his goods are not up to the standard required by law. A great change in the quality of some goods, at least, has resulted from this.

We have also investigated many cases and complaints where buildings were not connected with the public sewer, and have caused such connections to be made; as well also as numerous cesspools, we have caused to be constructed, in those cases where sewer connections could not be made.

We have also investigated many other complaints where other nuisances were said to exist of a different nature, but just as bad in their way, and in all cases where a remedy was possible, one has been provided; and then there are others where it has seemed there was no remedy and no definite action therefore was taken.

It has been customary in years past, for persons to use certain places about the city, as a dumping ground for decayed fruit, vegetables and other things, where such

have been left to decay and thereby become a nuisance, as well as being very offensive and unsightly to all persons who happened to be in that vicinity; this practise has been stopped, the city having provided a place for such refuse matter.

We would take occasion at this time to call attention to the law requiring every physician who attends upon any person having any malignant, pestilential disease, to immediately report the same to the local board of health, and if such sick person has no physician, then it is the duty of some member of the family to give such notice. This law applies to cases of measles as well as the more malignant type.

It would in many cases be of great help, not only to this board, if it was done in every case, but might prevent the spread of the disease, if done at once in its earliest stages.

CHAS. GALE SHEDD,  
L. WELLINGTON,  
F. D. WORCESTER, M. D.,  
Health Commissioners.

Keene, December 1, 1905.

REPORT OF  
BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF PLUMBERS.

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*To the City Councils of Keene:*

During the year we have issued two master plumber's licenses and three journeyman's licenses, the three last named being renewals.

Amount received,	\$3 50
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Paid the city treasurer,	3 50
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L. WELLINGTON,

D. W. MITCHELL,

Board of Examiners of Plumbers.

Keene, December 1, 1905,



## REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF CEMETERIES.

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*To His Honor the Mayor and Gentlemen of the City Councils:*

The undersigned presents his report for the year ending November 30, 1905, as follows:

This year has been one of repairs rather than one of additions in this department, with the exception of the setting of fifty shade trees in Greenlawn where shade is greatly needed, and the acquirment of a "cribbing device" the use of which in loose soil, or to prevent the caving of the earth from adjacent graves is proving of great value from an economic standpoint, and its sanitary value can hardly be overestimated when used in opening graves in lots that have become closely filled, also a more tidy appearance is possible in many cases by its use.

Repairs have been made on the water pipes, avenues and paths, and many old and neglected lots have been improved, trees have been trimmed or removed, as seemed best. This with the general care given the cemeteries as a whole, and the special care of lots has made a busy year.

My receipts for the year are as follows:

Dec. 1904. Sexton work, \$38.00, labor,	
\$5.00, loam, \$4.50, fertilizer, \$2.25,	
grass seed, .75, care of lots, \$154.00,	
collected on lots sold, \$25.00, oak	
pegs, \$8.40,	\$237 90
Jan. 1905. Sexton work, \$6.00, labor,	
\$2.00, loam, \$2.00, fertilizer, \$1.25,	



	grass seed, .50, care of lots, \$92.00, collected on lots sold, \$93.50,	\$197 25
Feb.	Sexton work, \$51.00, care of lots, \$11.00, collected on lots sold, \$25.00,	87 00
Mar.	Sexton work, \$17.50, fertilizer, .75, care of lots, \$24.00, collected on lots sold, \$26.00,	68 25
Apr.	Sexton work, \$49.50, labor, \$8.25, loam, \$9.00, fertilizer, \$1.50, grass seed, \$1.00, sods, \$1.00, care of lots, \$11.00, collected on lots sold, \$89.00,	170 25
May.	Sexton work, \$71.50, labor, \$12.50, loam, \$12.25, fertilizer, \$3.50, grass seed, \$2.25, sods, \$1.00, care of lots, \$29.00, collected on lots sold, \$72.00, O. J. Howard, use of burial device, \$3.00, dividend of Cheshire Provident Institution, \$2.94.	209 94
June.	Sexton work, \$41.00, fertilizer, \$1.75, care of lots, \$40.35, collected on lots sold, \$42.00,	125 10
July.	Sexton work, \$33.50, labor, \$2.50, loam, \$2.00, grass seed, .25, care of lots, \$6.00, collected on lots sold, sold, \$157.50,	201 75
Aug.	Sexton work, \$31.50, labor, \$6.50, loam, \$2.50, fertilizer, .75, grass seed, .50, care of lots, \$11.00, collected on lots sold, \$14.00,	66 75
Sept.	Sexton work, \$32.50, labor, \$21.25, loam, \$9.50, fertilizer, \$2.50, grass seed, \$1.50, care of lots, \$16.00, sods, \$2.50, O. J. Howard, use of device, \$1.50, collected on lots sold, \$13.00,	100 25
Oct.	Sexton work, \$40.00, care of lots, \$17.00, collected on lots sold, \$25.00,	82 00

Nov. Sexton work, \$66.00, labor, \$2.00,  
cr. stone, \$1.00, grass, \$8.00, care of  
lots, \$7.00, collected on lots sold,  
\$60.00, 144 00

Total, \$1,690 44

This amount has been deposited with the city treasurer and I hold his receipts for the same.

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER E. MASON,  
Superintendent.

Keene, N. H., Nov. 30, 1905.

## REPORT OF CITY SOLICITOR.

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*To the City Councils of Keene :*

During the past year no suits have been brought by or against the city. A claim of George C. Young for damages resulting from his falling from a defective sidewalk at the corner of Beaver street and Damon court has been settled by compromise without suit.

The suit of the Ashuelot National Bank against the city, which was brought to obtain title to the Perry place north of the city hall, is now in the Supreme Court. A decision was recently rendered, holding in effect that certain questions involved in the case should be first decided by the Superior Court before the Supreme Court would make a decision upon the merits of the controversy. Both the bank and city have asked for a rehearing in the Supreme Court. The only positive assertion that can at present be made in regard to the suit is that its outcome is doubtful.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN E. ALLEN,  
City Solicitor.

December 1, 1905.

## REPORT OF CITY MARSHAL.

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*To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen:*

I respectfully submit the following report of the police department from December 1, 1904 to March 1, 1905.

Number of arrests 95 for the following offences:

Assault,	4
Bastardy,	1
Drunkenness,	83
Disorderly conduct,	1
Escaped from County farm,	2
Horse stealing,	1
Larceny,	2
Stubborn child,	1
Brought before court,	93
Returned to county farm,	2
Received for private police work and deposited with city treasurer,	\$88 75
Lodgers put up at station,	150
Lights left burning,	10
Lights out of order and reported,	5
No lights where they are usually kept,	7
Places reported to chief engineer,	2
Doors and windows unlocked and open,	75
Number of doors tried,	25,650

BENJ. G. HALL,  
City Marshal.

Keene, November 29, 1905.

## REPORT OF JUSTICE OF POLICE COURT.

*To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen:*

The justice of the police court submits the following report for the year ending December 1, 1905.

Number of civil cases entered, 19; number of complaints entered, 575; for the following offences, to wit:

Assaults,	15
Aggravated assault,	1
Cruelty to child,	1
Cruelty to animals,	5
Burglary,	2
Rude and disorderly conduct,	2
Larceny,	8
Being stubborn child,	4
Obtaining money or property by false pretence,	3
Being father of bastard child,	1
To find sureties of the peace,	4
Dumping sawdust in brook,	2
Dealing in junk without license,	2
Violating liquor law,	30
Being disorderly person,	1
Abusing child,	1
Riding bicycle on sidewalk,	8
Embezzlement,	1
Running automobile too fast,	1
Employing person without badge to collect junk,	1
Fast driving,	1
Threatening person with gun,	1
Being drunk and disorderly,	1
Fornication,	1
Deserting family,	1
Being absent from school,	1
Using bicycle without permission of owner but not with intent to steal,	2
Disturbing religious meeting,	1
Maintaining lottery,	1

Keeping disorderly house,	1
Wanton speech and behavior,	1
Escaping from house of correction at Westmoreland,	3
Being drunk,	467
Persons not prosecuted to judgment,	8
Bound over to superior court,	22
Committed for want of bail,	10
Held to furnish sureties of the peace,	3
Who appealed,	5
Who appealed and later withdrew appeal and paid fine,	1
Sent to Industrial school,	3
Who furnished bonds to keep the peace,	1
Discharged because complaint did not set forth legal offence,	1
Admonished and discharged,	2
Who paid fines,	210
Committed for non-payment of fines,	141
Sentenced to house of correction at West- moreland,	67
Sentenced to jail,	30
Tried and acquitted,	15
Discharged upon condition that they leave town,	16
Returned to Westmoreland on complaint for escape,	3
Delivered to custody of Humane society,	1
Cases in which sentence was suspended,	34
Cases in which sentence was suspended brought forward,	2
Cases continued during good behavior,	2
Cases in which sentences were suspended on payment of costs,	8
Amount of fines paid to justice,	\$703 00
Amount of fines deposited by justice,	703 00

L. W. HOLMES,

Keene, December 1, 1905.

Justice.



## REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF SYMONDS FUND.

*To the Honorable Mayor and City Councils:*

I herewith submit a list of the securities and investments of the Symonds fund:

Carrie M. Davis, local mortgage,	\$165 00
Henry H. Haines, local mortgage,	1,000 00
John P. Rust, local mortgage,	2,500 00
Fred Humphrey, real estate,	400 00
Town of Newmarket, N. H., water works	
bond,	1,000 00
City of Concord, N. H., school bond,	1,000 00
City of Woburn, Mass., bonds,	3,000 00
Deposit, Keene Five Cents Savings Bank,	3,186 18
Deposit, Cheshire County Savings Bank,	3,231 83
Deposit, Keene Savings Bank,	6,624 57
Cash on hand,	264 35
	\$22,371 93

Respectfully submitted,

W. R. PORTER,  
Treasurer.

## REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR.

*To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen :*

I herewith submit the following report:

### WATER COLLECTIONS.

Collected on 71st assessment,	\$8,601 08
Collected on arrearages,	272 42
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	\$8,873 50
Collected on 72d assessment,	\$9,163 19
Collected on previous assessment,	177 75
Collected on arrearages,	425 41
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	\$9,766 35
Collected on meters,	\$5,437 86
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	\$24,077 71
Deposited with treasurer,	\$24,077 71

### TAXES, 1905.

Amount on warrant,	\$108,820 40
Collected and deposited,	\$82,656 73
Discount allowed,	1,359 03
*Uncollected,	24,804 64
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	\$108,820 40

### TAXES, 1904.

Balance last report,	\$23,262 92
Collected and deposited,	\$18,369 21
*Uncollected,	4,893 71
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	\$23,262 92

### TAXES, 1903.

Balance last report,	\$4,840 25
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\* Subject to abatements.

Collected and deposited,	\$1,451 68	
*Uncollected,	3,388 57	
	<hr/>	\$4,840 25

## TAXES, 1902.

Balance last report,		\$2,038 07
Collected and deposited,	\$572 40	
*Uncollected,	1,465 67	
	<hr/>	\$2,038 07

## TAXES, 1901.

Balance last report,		\$1,464 41
Collected and deposited,	\$224 57	
*Uncollected,	1,239 84	
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## TAXES, 1900.

Balance last report,		\$1,637 69
Abatements,	\$1,226 00	
Collected and deposited,	124 32	
Balance,	286 99	
	<hr/>	\$1,637 69

## STREET SPRINKLING.

Assessment, 1905,	\$1,308 00	
Balance last report,	338 45	
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Collected and deposited,	\$1,100 00	
Uncollected,	546 45	
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AINSWORTH M. NIMS,  
Collector.

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\* Subject to Abatements.

# VITAL STATISTICS.

## VITAL STATISTICS.

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*To His Honor the Mayor and Gentlemen of the City Councils :*

In compliance with an act of the legislature, passed June session 1887, amended by the legislature of 1899, requiring "clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the annual report," I hereby submit the following:

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE CITY OF KEENE, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING NOVEMBER 30, 1905.

Date of Birth.	Name of Child (if any).	Sex and Condition.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of		Age of Father.	Age of Mother.
		Male or Female.	Living or Stillborn.				Father.	Mother.		
1904.										
Mar. 3	Eliza	F	1	Givonni Trubbiano	Angelina Antoni	Iron worker	Italy	Italy	32	23
" 20	Vengzi	M	2	Nunzio Delozo	Matolino Trubbini	Iron worker	Italy	Italy	32	33
May 23	Sydney B.	M	5	Fred A. Lougee	Vermella Banks	Farmer	Bristol	Westminster, Ms.	40	36
June 5	Lillian Katherine	F	1	Arthur E. Ellis	Nellie Davis	Paill maker	Keene	Conway	27	21
July 24	Eveline	F	12	Joseph LaPoint	Celina Brusel	Blacksmith	S. Dorset	No. Dorset	43	41
Sept 25	Clifford	M	3	Willfred Lemois	Ellen Walls	Plasterer	Canada	Canada	30	26
Oct. 31	Grace Elizabeth	F	1	Andrew J. Sweeney	Gertrude M. Waldo	Mechanic	Keene	Keene	27	25
1887.										
Feb. 15	Cleon Lewis	M	1	Henry E. Swan	Cora E. Ellis	Clerk	Winchester	Keene	20	19
1894.										
Feb. 14	Verne Clifford	M	3	Henry E. Swan	Cora E. Ellis	Salesman	Winchester	Keene	27	26
1904.										
Oct. 24	Rachel	F	4	Clarence E. Stickney	Genevieve Noyes	Plumber	Warren, Me.	Lynn, Mass.	31	31
Nov. 23	Ellen	F	5	Don I. Petts	Margaret Darling	Salesman	Keene	Keene	38	37
" 23	Lizzie Hazel	F	1	Alfred Burt	Lillie Barley	Laborer	Nova Scotia	Nova Scotia	21	17
" 27	Grace Carolyn	F	1	Leon E. Sebastian	Grace M. Green	Saloon keeper	Keene	Harrisville	26	27
" 28	Alexandra	F	14	Vincent Domosky	Celia Dobowsky	Laborer	Poland	Poland	22	22
Dec. 1	— Castor	F	14	William VanNess	Sophia Greency	Laborer	Poland	Highgate F., Vt.	35	46
" 4	Mikeal	M	2	John Person	Amelia B. Paarola	Stone mason	Finland	Finland	38	44
" 6	John L.	M	8	George Loranger	Delina Lemire	Laborer	Ellenburg, N. V.	Forest, N. V.	37	31
" 7	Joseph Alfred	M	4	Jean B. Lamoureux	Lezima Givonard	Laborer	St. Barnabe, Ca.	Holden, Mass.	28	26
" 8	Charlotte May	F	3	David W. Mitchell	Lizzie W. Sterling	Plumber	Keene	Keene	30	29
" 11	Rosa	F	5	Jacob Tatchman	Kate Conway	Junk dealer	Russia	Russia	31	30
" 17	Marion Gertrude	F	5	John Riley	Maria Trubbiano	Machinist	Ireland	Ireland	45	37
" 20	Antonio	M	3	Lewis Papile	Rose Simoneau	Machinist	Italy	Italy	30	30
" 25		M	7	Alfred Hebert	Dalphine Beliveau	Laborer	Dover	Canada	32	28
" 25		M	7	HermenegildeDubois	Clarina Lacharite	Laborer	Canada	Canada	35	40
" 25	Azalea Beatrice	F	3	George W. Cummings	Ada Davis	Chair maker	Canada	Guilford, Vt.	30	30
" 30		M	4	Norman Watkins	Ida Grey	Laborer	Swanzy	Walpole	37	36



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		Male or Female.	No. of Child Living or Stillborn.							
1904.										
Dec. 31	Vivian Irene	F	2	John E. Lamphrey	Nellie H. Norton	Laborer	Lyme	Strafford, Vt.	29	30
1905.										
Jan. 5	Mary	F	1	John Donahue	Bridget Costello	Boiler maker	Ireland	Ireland	36	38
" 10	Joseph Francis	M	5	Fred Dion	Alexina Dubois	Shoemaker	Warwick, Ca.	Saginaw, Mich.	28	24
" 10	Vivian	F	1	Chas. R. Wheaton	Bessie M. Norwood	Carpenter	Marlboro	Winchester	21	23
" 16	Corra Elizabeth	F	2	Thomas Bilodeau	Jenny Grigoire	Teamster	Canada	Harrisville	29	27
" 20	Alice Mary	F	1	William E. Maloney	Annie M. Doyle	Physician	Northampton Ms	So. Stoddard	39	36
" 20	Iustus Raymond	M	3	Herbert Richardson	Della Carpenter	At Beaver Mills	Winchester	Canada	33	30
" 20	Joseph Mouilfred	M	3	Albert Huard	Marie A. Bedard	Laborer	Canada	Canada	24	22
1904.										
Dec. 29	Anna Eldora	F	2	Telesph'e Deslauriers	Emma Labbe	Bookkeeper	Canada	Ware, Mass.	24	20
1905.										
Feb. 1	Earl Benjamin	M	2	Joseph Castor	Sarah T. Higgins	Mason	Highgate, Vt.	Brandon, Vt.	46	40
" 2	John Dana	M	1	John C. Redington	Ruth E. Skinner	Advertising	Chicago, Ill.	Keene	27	22
" 7	Beatrice Rose	F	4	Frank P. Jacques	Ora M. Lamere	Turner	Ware, Mass.	Maine	28	24
" 10	"	M	3	Jean P. Howes	Mary E. Turner	Jeweler	Keene	Albany, N. Y.	31	27
" 10	"	M	1	Fordice E. Safford	Essie G. Mason	Teamster	Chesterfield	Marlboro	32	29
" 11	Lloyd Seymour	M	1	Edgett MacFarlane	Florence M. Downing	Blacksmith	New Brunswick	Taunton, Mass.	32	29
" 11	Margaret Mary	F	1	Joseph W. Woods	Nellie T. Quinlan	Brickmason	Keene	Keene	32	31
" 13	Mary Ethel	F	3	Fred Bushey	Emma Harpin	Laborer	Winoski F., Vt	Keene	36	25
" 15	Margaret	F	4	Truman A. Smith	Mary A. Champney	Blacksmith	Canada	Keene	38	33
" 16	Francoise I. Marie	F	12	Edouard Rouillard	Addine St. Louis	Blacksmith	Naperville, P. Q.	Plattsburg, N. Y.	45	43
" 23	"	M	2	William J. Evans	Katie Scrivern	Brakenan	Wales	Ireland	30	31
Mar. 2	Norman Perry	M	1	Leon E. Pickett	Clara B. Lewis	Box maker	Richmond	Winchester	22	24
Jan. 28	Joseph Alfred	M	4	Frank G. Dort	Kate B. Cobb	Salesman	Keene	Putney, Vt.	48	42
Feb. 15	Earl Tracy	M	10	Joseph Beliveau	Severine Payer	Laborer	Canada	Canada	42	44
" 19	Helen Marion	F	4	Phillip F. Peck	Margaret Cameron	Shoemaker	Hartford, Conn.	Canada	35	36
Mar. 8	Lillian Gertrude	F	1	Fred'k T. Pearson	Flora E. Spencer	Merchant	Hinsdale	Keene	34	28
" 8	"	F	1	Augustus Beaulieu	Annie Price	Stone layer	Canada	Ireland	30	29
" 9	Joseph Alfred	M	1	John D. Scarborough	Eva May Cota	Laborer	Bristol, Vt.	Roxbury	19	19

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		Male or Female.	Living or Stillborn.							
Mar 12	Harriette Hale	F	L	Nat'l O. Long	Ruby F. Hughes	Salesman	Boston, Mass.	Cambridge, Ms.	27	25
" 15	Joseph Alvin	M	L	William Mackey	Mattie Shover	Mechanic	Keene	Swanzy	31	28
" 18	Joseph Narcisse	M	L	Jos. B. Leclaire	Philamene E. Chartier	Teamster	Grafton	Coaticooke, P. Q.	45	34
" 19	Arlene Rosalie	F	L	Fred E. Bushy	Abby G. Davis	Shoemaker	Hinesburgh, Vt.	Keene	37	29
" 20	Elena Giuseppina	F	L	Anthony Maucini	Mary Gagliardi	Blacksmith	Rome, Italy	Italy	38	29
" 21	Yvonne M.	F	L	Phillip Desilet	Emma LeBlanc	Weaver	Canada	Canada	40	41
" 23	Marion Jeanett	F	L	Charles Finn	Elizabeth C. Carrigan	Motorman	Troy	Keene	33	34
" 25	Maria Albina Eva	F	S	John Castor	Seraphine LeBlanc	Shoemaker	Highgate, Vt.	Keene	34	27
" 27	Robert Roosevelt	M	L	Edmond O. Boisvert	Albina LeRoux	Laborer	Watson, P. Q.	Keene	32	32
" 27	Hazel Frances	M	L	Fred'k C. Bell	Lizzie A. Abbott	Moulder	Canada	Keene	32	34
" 27	Ralph Francis	M	L	Frank W. Streeter	Annie B. McDermot	Baker	Waterville, Mass.	Canada	30	34
" 27	Gactanino Michael	M	L	John A. Peterson	Hilda C. Anderson	Stone mason	Sweden	Sweden	41	22
Apr. 1	William Henry	M	L	Rafaele Casillo	Carmela Leonardo	Shoemaker	Italy	Italy	33	26
" 1	Paul T. O.	M	L	J. Ludger Bergeron	Obeline Bergeron	Box maker	Canada	Canada	25	23
" 5	Pauline Grace	F	L	John G. Johnson	Hulda C. Johnson	Laborer	Sweden	Denmark	44	44
" 7	Lew Winfield	M	L	Chas. H. Vigneau	Mary L. Gregoire	Shoemaker	Keene	Harrisville	35	29
" 9	Theresa Marian	M	L	Lew E. Hubbard	Julia Sullivan	Machinist	Keene	Marlboro	31	27
" 10	Chas. Frederick	F	L	John D. Proctor	Mabel P. Bunker	Physician	Montreal, P. Q.	Concord	36	36
" 10	Harold Clinton	M	L	Edward A. Barnes	Lena Reed	Farmer	Harrison, Me.	Gardner, Me.	45	19
" 11	William John	M	L	Gilbert D. Oliver	Mary M. Baldwin	Paik turner	Keene	Keene	25	21
" 15	Clarence Stuart	M	L	Chas. S. Carlin	Ellen M. Spencer	Blacksmith	Wilton	Keene	41	36
" 19	Ruth Swader	F	L	Wm. J. Domina	Margaret Lee	Paik turner	Coventry, Vt.	Harvard, Mass.	31	28
" 20	Elizabeth Etta	F	L	Carl M. Pratt	Mildred O. Burley	Box maker	Keene	Dover	28	23
" 26	Geo. Harrison	M	S	Arthur F. Robbins	Alta V. Swader	Stable keeper	Somerville, Mass	E. Aurora, N. Y.	35	29
" 29	Delia Almena	F	L	John F. Jolly	Mary A. Vigneau	Paik turner	Baldwinsville	Keene	42	39
" 30	Geo. Harrison	M	L	Wm. H. Euber	Mattie Rand	Lumber man	New York	New Hampshire	37	22
May 2	Delia Almena	F	L	A. J. Labounty	Rosanna LeBlanc	Laborer	Keene	Lowell, Mass.	30	36
" 3	Arthur Allen	M	L	Geo. A. Morse	Delphine Eno	Shoemaker	New Ross, N. S.	Rogersfield, N. Y.	31	17
" 3	Arthur Allen	M	L	Henry M. Cutler	Almena Guvette	Laundryman	Barre, Vt.	Marlboro	25	23
" 3	Arthur Allen	M	L	Chas. A. Kingsbury	Ida M. Allen	Shoe cutter	Acworth	Keene	29	31

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May	3 Mary Virginia	F	S	Peter Pair	Lizzie Young	Box maker	Glenns Falls, N. Y.	Hinsdale	22	19
"	3 John Harold	M	L	Thomas Secy	Margaret Kennedy	Machinist	Canada	St. Albans, Vt.	35	33
"	6 Geraldine Julia	F	L	Arthur A. Wallace	Eva Gould	Conductor, Elec.	Troy	Marlboro [P. Q.	28	34
"	7 Marie A. Graziella	F	L	Hyacinthe Daboie	Sophie Vigneault	Machinist	Beaucour, P. Q.	St. Leonard's as'n	49	36
"	8 Acclina	F	L	John Myriano	Angiolina Antonucci	Tender ma. shop	Italy	Italy	30	23
"	8 Etta May	F	L	Delbert W. Buckley	Isabel Champney	Sta. engineer	Woodford, Vt.	State Line	25	19
"	9 John Patterson	M	L	Arthur L. Wright	Mary A. Patterson	Bank cashier	Keene	Keene	34	34
"	11 Franklin Dewayne	M	L	Franklin H. Ingalls	Anna O. Hart	Carriage builder	Fayston, Vt.	Duxbury, Vt.	28	34
"	11 Marriion Lottie	F	L	Don F. Cook	Addie Warner	Machinist	Keene	Winchendon, Ms.	33	34
"	25 Margaret Agnes	F	L	Edward N. Gober	Julia E. Cone	Mechanic	Morristown, Vt.	Clarendon	49	41
"	25 Royal Silvester	M	S	Royal V. Bryant	Mary E. Quinn	Bookkeeper	Keene	Staffordshire Eng	27	25
"	27 Alice Elaine	F	L	William A. Long	Mary E. Quinn	Asst. storekeeper	Potsdam, N. Y.	Keene	27	18
"	27 Marie Jeanne	F	L	Frank Martineau	Marie Belanger	Spinner	St. Agathe, P. Q.	St. Ansehue, P. Q.	28	25
June	3 Eva May	F	L	Philippe A. Poisson	Eva M. Madison	Machinist	St. Gregoire, P. Q.	Jersey City, N. J.	36	37
"	3 Cora Elizabeth	F	L	Philippe A. Poisson	Eva M. Madison	Machinist	St. Gregoire, P. Q.	Jersey City, N. J.	36	37
"	3 Paul Elijah	M	L	Edwin Phillips	Emma Fox	Salesman	Winchester	Marlow	35	33
"	5 Harold Wesley	M	L	Fred S. Wyman	Rosetta M. Guillow	Farmer	Keene	Keene	32	20
"	5 Martha	F	L	Charles H. Castor	May Fredenburg	Box maker	Moors Forks N.Y.	Cocymass Holl'w	25	24
"	9 Ethel Charlotte	F	L	Charles H. Woods	Saloma E. Empey	Printer	Natick, Mass.	Canada	25	29
"	10 Ruth May	F	L	Frank E. Chase	Sarah J. Bartlett	Farmer	Keene	Fonda, N. Y.	29	32
"	15 Marie Florida	F	L	Claphare Leveille	Malvina Pelletier	Teamster	Perken, Mich.	Halifax, P. Q.	24	26
"	16 Maria Beata	F	L	Carmine Napolitano	Francis Russell	Merchant	Italy	Italy	32	23
"	21 Ernest Bryant	M	L	Ernest B. Thayer	Florence E. Thayer	Machinist	Hinsdale	Halifax, Vt.	19	19
"	24 Paul Eugene	M	L	Edward Whitcomb	Grace G. Jebb	Tailor	Keene	Newport	43	26
"	27 Earl Frederick	M	L	Fred T. Chase	Florence M. Bradbury	Paill turner	Winchester	Portland, Me.	24	20
"	27 Herman	M	L	Nizer Finkelstein	Bessie Jacobs	Laborer	Russia	Russia	30	24
July	1 Blanche Juliette	F	L	Joseph Perkins	Ivon Landry	Teamster	Orford, Vt.	Canada	23	20
"	3 John Henry	M	S	Alexander Anlaw	Annie Mainville	Laborer	St. Remi, P. Q.	Ellensburg, N. Y.	41	31
"	4 John Henry	M	L	Patrick J. Hickey	Annie Winn	Machinist	Ireland	Ireland	42	45
"	5 George Frank	M	L	Frank E. Woods	Lulu R. Welch	Brick mason	Keene	Keene	25	22



July	7	Francis William	M	L	7	Joseph E. Saunders	Mary Gilbo	Blacksmith	Troy	39	Cleveland, N. Y.	39
"	7	Laurence Martin	M	L	1	Thomas R. Pickett	Josephine F. Ahern	Boiler maker	Ely, Vt.	27	Keene	27
"	9	Robert Edward	M	L	2	Frank Cola	Jennie B. Clarke	Laborer	Putney, Vt.	31	St. Rutland, Vt.	31
"	11		F	L	3	Alfred Demers	Marie L. Beaudet	Laborer	Warwick, P. Q.	29	St. Gregoire, P. Q.	29
"	12	Christine Mabel	F	L	3	Silas C. Albee	Lucy Emma	Chair maker	Rockingham, Vt.	48	Mechanicville, Vt.	48
"	12	John Stanislas	M	L	11	Jules Bergeron	Marie Kousseau	Farmer	Rockingham, Vt.	49	Keene	49
"	14	Dorothy Whitcomb	F	L	2	Edwin A. Ellis	Fanny Whitcomb	Salesman	St. Celestin, P. Q.	29	Keene	29
"	15	Doris Adelaide	F	L	3	Leon E. Smith	Florence M. Jordan	Laborer	Harwich, Mass.	24	Keene	24
"	15	Robert Theodore	M	L	3	Mark A. Mills	Evelyn A. Jones	Machinist	Springfield, Vt.	31	Keene	31
"	22	Beryl Hilda	F	L	1	Guy W. Billings	Lizzie A. Bassett	Painter	Underhill, Vt.	24	Keene	24
"	24	Edward Henry	M	L	10	George C. Dion	Mary J. Barlow	Teamster	Highgate, Vt.	27	Keene	27
"	29	Mildred Agnes	F	L	2	George H. Oliver	Flora B. Sawyer	Teamster	Highgate, Vt.	27	Keene	27
"	29	Alice Frances	F	L	3	Dennis J. Hartnett	Mary Amlaw	Clerk	Keene	27	Canada	27
Aug.	6	Lester David	M	L	3	David J. Trombley	Jennie L. Hamlin	Teamster	Keene	25	Danmemora, N. Y.	25
"	8	Lois Stanley	F	L	1	William S. Marteau	Olive Champagne	Laborer	Burlington, Vt.	20	Ellenburgh, N. Y.	20
"	9	Karl Ina	M	L	2	John E. Nordin	Agnes Anderson	Teamster	Sweden	26	Sweden	26
"	11	Howard Lucine	M	L	2	Melvin W. Main	Clara M. Coombs	Painter	Canada	40	Canada	40
"	17	Florence Ellen	F	L	1	Richard M. Barry	Christina McClellan	Liquor dealer	Peterboro	43	Cape Breton, N.S.	43
"	18	Louis Walter	M	L	2	Forrest J. Hall	Sarah A. Gray	Mechanic	Keene	24	Keene	24
"	21	Jeremiah Francis	M	L	2	Lewis Lapointe	Delina Dupuis	Laborer	Canada	27	Canada	27
"	25	Louis George	M	L	2	Dennis A. McCarthy	Bezie Sheehan	Machinist	Ireland	36	Keene	36
Sept.	4	Ruth Helen	F	L	2	Albert Sharkey	Hattie Lower	Laborer	Swanton, Vt.	24	Lebanon	24
"	6	Patrick Joseph	M	L	2	Charles J. Mead	Isabel E. Price	Paul turner	East Alstead	34	N. Attleboro, Ms.	34
"	8	Nellie Geneva	F	L	1	Jas. Jos. Winn	Nora Ryan	Machinist	Ireland	33	Ireland	33
"	9		F	L	1	Earl J. Russell	Emma L. Byron	Teamster	Roxbury	19	Keene	19
"	16	Wesley	M	L	9	Henry A. Hammond	Bridget Wall	Potter	England	40	Canada	40
"	16	Goldie	F	L	2	John W. Castor	Emma Champney	Box maker	Highgate, Vt.	24	State Line	24
"	16	Chester Willis	M	L	2	Elmer Oliver	Margaret Driscoll	Farmer	Keene	18	Keene	18
"	17	Mary Malvina B.	F	L	3	William J. Reid	Ann A. Butcher	Blacksmith	Nova Scotia	23	Nova Scotia	23
"	10	Pauline Isabelle	F	L	1	Louis Boisvert	Eva Dubois	Sawyer	Canada	30	Canada	30
"	22	Charlotte	F	L	7	David H. Baker	Irene I. Ingalls	Keene	San Francisco Cal	36	San Francisco Cal	36
"	29		M	L	4	Charles H. Kingsbury	Adeline Mason	Printer	Keene	44	Bingham, Me.	44
"	30		M	L	4	Timothy O'Brien	Mary Donovan	Mechanic	Keene	26	Keene	26
1902.			M	L	4	Joseph Boyea	Georgianna Buskey	Mechanic	Keene	28	Somersworth	28
Sept 23		Philip George	M	L	3	Frank G. Underwood	Martha A. Lapham	Paul maker	Swanzey	28	Keene	28
1905.			F	L	4	Charles H. Vignean	Mary L. Gregoire	Shoemaker	Keene	35	Harrisville	35
Apr. 5		Pauline Louise	M	L	1	Gilbert D. Oliver	Mary M. Baldwin	Woodworker	Keene	25	Keene	25
Apr. 10			M	L	1	Edward J. Martin	Florence C. Bartlett	Keene	Keene	22	Keene	22
May 28			F	L	2	Silas C. Albee	— Lamere	Keene	Keene	48	Keene	48
July 12		Irene Mabel	M	L	2	George F. Latham	Julia A. Coia	Shoemaker	Rockingham, Vt.	33	Mechanicville Vt	33
" 21		Harold Clay	F	L	2	Frank G. Underwood	Martha A. Lapham	Paul maker	Keene	31	Keene	31
" 24		Florence Grace	F	L	2	Herbert B. Viall	Emma J. Whittemore	Cashier	Swanzey	65	Keene	65
" 30		William Boynton	F	L	4	Arthur Jonathan	Belle Kirby	Railroad fireman	Dorset, Vt.	25	W. Roxbury, Ms.	25
Aug. 1		Emma Jennie	F	L	4	Orwell E. Richardson	Ada Northrup	Baker	Massachusetts	17	Westminster, Ms.	17
Sept 11		Joseph II	M	L	8	Simon Krutvitz	Julia Silverman	Junk dealer	Brockport, N. Y.	35	Brockport, N. Y.	35
Sept 11			M	L	8				Russia	40	Russia	40

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Sept 25	Helen	F	6	John C. Faulkner	May L. Barrett	Manufacturer	Keene	Keene	44	37
Oct. 1	Charles Bachus	M	2	Leon C. Norwood	Caroline Bachus	Manufacturer	Wallingford, Ct.	Wallingford, Ct.	34	36
Sept 26	Joseph Morris	M	1	Willard E. Matthews	Ella F. Morris	Teamster	Henniker	Biddeford, Me.	27	24
Oct. 2	Joseph Alfred	M	11	Pierre Brouillard	Exilia Demers	Laborer	Canada	Canada	44	34
" 4	Richard William	M	2	George Pickett	Matilda Sharkey	Paill maker	Keene	Highgate, Vt.	21	18
" 5	Paul Eugene	M	1	Geo. C. Symonds	Emmie McDonald	Wood worker	Chesterfield	Nova Scotia	27	31
" 8	Lyle Wesley	M	2	Wm. W. Scott	Ella A. Graves	Wood worker	Keene	Asfield, Ms.	37	35
" 11	Don Lyman	M	2	Lyman Warner	Rosetta McClure	Paill maker	Keene	Greenfield, Ms.	26	23
" 17	Joseph William	M	2	Eli Chabott	Anna Menard	Grocer	Canada	Canada	42	42
" 19	Darrel Louis	M	7	Jos. L. Willett	Jessie M. Lewis	Box maker	Canada	Winchester	32	22
" 20		F	1	Wm. J. Winn	Julia Hayes	Boiler maker	Ireland	Ireland	27	31
" 20	Claribel Edith	F	6	Austin G. Smith	Lillian Harvey	Teamster	Putney, Vt.	Putney, Vt.	31	26
" 29	Paul William	M	6	Frank W. Smith	Hattie E. Morey	Mechanic	Winchester	Winchester	41	38
" 29	Eva Maverette	F	1	Forrest H. Spofford	Emily A. M. Bauhan	Paill maker	Keene	Fall River, Ms.	20	29
" 30	Margaret	F	4	George B. Spofford	Myrtle E. Ellis	Blacksmith	Chesterfield	Sullivan	36	20
Nov. 4	Mary J. A.	F	1	Donat N. Doucette	Anne Beaumier	Mill operative	Canada	Canada	26	24
" 5	Marion Alice	F	3	Ivah Hill	Grace Burdette	Butcher	Swanzy	Keene	37	26
" 5	Esther Myrna	F	2	Henry J. Brown	Emma J. Whitcomb	Painter	Troy	Troy	36	28
" 6	Iraane	F	2	Michael J. Patterson	Anne Bergeron	Paill turner	Marlboro	Keene	25	21
" 7	George Peter	M	4	Robert P. Haywood	Ina Phelps	Manufacturer	Keene	Lowell, Ms.	34	36
" 7	Julian Emanuel	M	5	Robert P. Haywood	Ina Phelps	Manufacturer	Keene	"	34	36
" 7	Albert Emanuel	M	3	Axel E. Lagerberg	Hilda M. Walgreen	Painter	Sweden	Sweden	34	30
" 8	Thomas Charles	M	1	Edward Osier	Nellie Lampron	Shoemaker	Canada	Lebanon	38	36
" 8	Florence Murray	F	1	Don O. Hall	Rosalind C. Murray	Shoe cutter	St. Johnsbury, Vt.	Halifax, N. S.	38	31
" 10	Marie Rosilda	F	12	Mathias G. Joyal	Marie A. Vient	Laborer	Canada	Canada	41	39
" 17	Dorothy Elaine	F	2	Herbert M. Brown	Edith G. Martin	Bookkeeper	Wilington. Vt.	Richmond	25	22
" 18	Ruth Carlina	F	6	Carl A. Sandstrom	Josephine L. Anderson	Machinist	Sweden	Sweden	41	44
" 18	Marion Helen	F	1	Frank J. Avery	Helen M. Woods	Blacksmith	Winchester	Keene	24	18
" 24	Charles Irving	M	1	Harry E. Staples	Cape Elizabeth, Me	Farmer	Westmoreland	Westmoreland	39	37
" 26		M	8	Louis N. Murray	Annie L. Leach	Tinsmith	St. Albans, Vt.	Cambridge, Vt.	35	33

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Date of Marriage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age in years.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	* Condition.	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
1904 Dec. 5	Keene	Willie M. Carley	Keene	28	Teamster	Swanton, Vt.	Ambrose Carley	Swanton, Vt.	2d	F. H. Whitcomb Keene [J. P.
"	"	Daisy I. Clark	"	22	"	Andover, Vt.	Herbert Clark	Chester, Vt.	2d	" [son
"	Nashua	John C. Swallow	"	57	Shoe operator	Peterboro	Jennie Geer	Brandon, Vt.	2d	Rev. C. Richard- Nashua
"	"	Hattie E. Balch	Bolton, Mass.	45	Nurse	Greenfield [Mich.	Elizabeth Nelson	Dublin	3d	"
"	Keene	William G. Stone	Keene	19	Toymaker	Grand Rapids,	Lorenzo Holt	Lyndeboro	1st	Rev. J. Walther Keene
"	"	Rose E. Craig	"	20	"	Springfield, Ms.	Harriet J. Holt	New York State	1st	"
"	Meriden	Ralph P. Jenney	"	21	Clerk	Meriden	Lewis A. Stone	Ireland	1st	"
"	"	Ethel M. Price	"	21	"	Malden	Mary Morrison	"	1st	"
"	Keene	Forrest L. Carey	"	26	Merchant	Keene	Edward M. Craig	"	1st	"
"	"	Caroline E. Hamblet	"	20	"	"	Alice Ryan	"	1st	"
"	"	Nils A. Hanson	"	27	Blacksmith	Sweden	Frank B. Jenney	Plainfield	1st	Rev. A. J. Bailey Plainfield
"	"	Maria D. Jansen	"	24	"	"	Lois E. Cutting	Newport	1st	"
"	Clinton, Mass	Wilber F. Wallace	"	54	Prov. dealer	Marlboro	James W. Price	St. Johns, N. S.	1st	"
1905 Jan. 2	Keene	Annie M. Hubbard	"	36	"	Keene	Maria E. Pelkey	Hinsdale	1st	"
"	"	Joseph A. Seitzinger	"	25	Barber	Frackville, Pa.	Gilman Carey	Randolph, Vt.	1st	Rev. C. B. Elder Keene
"	"	Clara A. Findon	"	22	"	Susquehanna Pa	Kate R. Curtis	Winchester	1st	"
"	"	"	"	22	"	"	Albert Hamblet	Keene	1st	"
"	"	"	"	27	Blacksmith	Sweden	Mary Hammond	Winchester	1st	"
"	"	"	"	24	"	"	Karl J. Hanson	Sweden	1st	Rev. A. H. Wheel- Keene
"	"	"	"	24	"	"	Sofia Valin	"	1st	"
"	"	"	"	24	"	"	John F. Jansen	Norway	1st	"
"	"	"	"	24	"	"	Techla Lindqvist	Sweden [Ms.	1st	"
"	"	"	"	54	Prov. dealer	Marlboro	Fred'k Wallace	Ashburnham,	2d	Rev. Jas. Sheerin Clinton, Ms.
"	"	"	"	36	"	Keene	Fanny Tenney	Marlboro	1st	"
"	"	"	"	36	"	Keene	Hezro Hubbard	Sullivan	1st	"
"	"	"	"	36	"	Keene	Mary A. Lane	Lincoln, Me.	1st	"
"	"	"	"	25	Barber	Frackville, Pa.	Alfred Seitzinger	Pottsville, Pa.	1st	Rev. A. H. Wheel- Keene
"	"	"	"	25	Barber	Frackville, Pa.	Louisa Breninger	Mt. Carbon, Pa.	1st	"
"	"	"	"	25	Barber	Frackville, Pa.	George E. Findon	Patterson, N. J.	1st	"
"	"	"	"	22	"	Susquehanna Pa	Alice Shipley	Jersey City, N. J.	1st	"

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Jan. 17	Keene	Peter Pair	Keene	22	Box maker	Glens Falls NY	Newell Pair	Burlington, Vt.	1st	Rev. C. B. Elder Keene
" 19	"	Lizzie A. Young	"	19	"	Hinsdale	Martha Greenia	Highgate, Vt.	1st	"
" 22	"	Richard M. Barry	"	43	Merchant	Peterboro	William E. Young	Newport, Vt.	1st	"
" 22	"	Christina McClellan	"	33	"	Cape Breton NS [Vt.]	John C. Barry	Hinsdale	1st	Rev. D. A. Ryan Keene
Feb. 1	"	William F. Chabott	"	31	Laborer	St. Johnsbury, Canada	Mary Magnier	Ireland	1st	"
" 7	"	Eva A. Bergeron	"	16	"	Keene	A. McClellan	Cape Breton, Canada	1st	Rev. D. A. Ryan Keene
" 9	"	Louis W. Pratt	"	21	Box maker	Keene	Cassie McClellan	"	1st	"
" 16	"	Lillian Wiggett	"	24	"	Swansey	Tuffell Chabott	"	1st	"
" 17	"	Ira J. Prouty	"	47	Physician	Ogdensburg NY	Antoine Bergeron	"	1st	"
" 19	"	Bertha I. Jones	"	30	"	Keene	Mary Martelle	"	1st	"
" 21	"	Eugene Blair	"	25	Chair maker	Fall River, Mass	Chas. W. Pratt	New York, N. Y.	1st	Rev. J. Walther Keene
" 22	"	Elizabeth Carpenter	"	21	"	Winchester	Sarah J. Parks	Winch'nd'n, Ms.	1st	"
" 23	"	Forrest Z. Morey	"	22	Pail maker	Nelson	Wm. R. Wiggett	London, Eng.	1st	"
" 24	"	Ethel H. Robbins	"	19	"	Canada	Mary E. Simpson	Langdon	4th	Rev. C. Richard-Nashua
" 25	"	Joseph Corron	"	52	Blacksmith	New York	Ira F. Prouty	Stoddard	1st	"
" 26	"	Octave Barcomb	"	48	"	"	Elsie Joslin	Burlington, Vt.	1st	"
" 27	"	"	"	"	"	"	Young Jones	Keene	1st	"
" 28	"	"	"	"	"	"	Emma Craig	Canada	1st	"
" 29	"	"	"	"	"	"	Clifford Blair	"	1st	"
" 30	"	"	"	"	"	"	Agnes Margot	Middlebury, Vt.	1st	J. E. Benton, J. Keene
" 31	"	"	"	"	"	"	James Carpenter	"	1st	"
" 32	"	"	"	"	"	"	Mary Garrett	"	1st	"
" 33	"	"	"	"	"	"	Wm. A. Morey	Montgomery, 1st	1st	"
" 34	"	"	"	"	"	"	Ella A. Plummer	Winchester	1st	"
" 35	"	"	"	"	"	"	Geo. W. Robbins	Marlboro	1st	Rev. Jos. Robins Keene
" 36	"	"	"	"	"	"	Kate Packard	Quincy, Ms.	1st	"
" 37	"	"	"	"	"	"	Lawrence Corron	Canada	3d	"
" 38	"	"	"	"	"	"	Phoebe Nelson	"	2d	Rev. D. A. Ryan Keene
" 39	"	"	"	"	"	"	Almira Barcomb	"	2d	"

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Feb. 21	Keene	Antoine Vigneault	Keene	47	Clerk	Canada	Pierre Vigneault Jos'e Thebodeau	Canada	2d	Rev. D. A. Ryan Keene
		Agnes Lorandean	"	37		"	Louis LeBey Salome Belliveau	"	2d	
Mar. 1	"	Ernest E. Raymond	"	26	Rest. keeper	Keene	Herb't Raymond	Marlow	1st	Rev. D. A. Ryan Keene
		Selina M. Libby	"	23		Fitzwilliam	Emma Ellis Seline Belliveau	Swansey Canada	1st	
" 4	"	John O'Neil	"	28	Shoemaker	Ashburnham	John O'Neil	Ireland	1st	Rev. D. A. Ryan Keene
		Levena White	"	24		Keene	Caroli'e Hubba'd Nelson White	Lowell, Ms. Thr'e Riv'rs, Ca.	1st	
" 4	"	Henry S. Townsend	"	25	Agent	Danvers, Mass.	Ser'ph'e Bomieau Fran'is Townse'd	Danvers, Ms	1st	Rev. J. Walther Keene
		Leona P. Guillow	"	28		Gilsum	Annie F. Hicks Luther Guillow	Shelburne, N. S.	1st	
" 5	"	John H. Pender	"	30	Hackman	Keene	Ella R. Bates Patrick Pender	"	1st	
		Mary E. David	"	18		"	Bridget Hagan	Ireland	1st	Rev. T. J. Fin- Keene
" 7	"	William J. Winn	"	26	Boiler maker	Ireland	Alphonse David Malinda White	Montreal, P. Q. Burlington, Vt.	1st	[In]ing Keene
		Julia A. Hayes	"	29		"	John Winn Ann Gaffner	"	1st	
" 29	"	Enos F. Walker	"	33	Shoemaker	Barton, Vt.	Richard Hayes Peter J. Walker	W. Rumney Jay, Vt.	1st	Rev. J. Walther Keene
		Ida R. Wheaton	"	22		Nova Scotia	Philena Hadlock John H. Wheaton	New Brunswick Nova Scotia	1st	
" 30	Concord	Charles W. Scripture	"	28	Farmer	Surry	Hannah J. Wade Walter Scripture	Nelson Alstead	1st	[hook Rev. S. E. Pro- Concord
		Delia S. Neaves	"	27		Nova Scotia	Alice J. Cram William Neaves	"	1st	
							Mary Saban	"	1st	

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Apr. 1	Keene	Fordyce J. Thomas	Keene	27	Carpenter	Hinsdale	James B. Thomas	Hinsdale	1st	Rev W. A. Hadley Keene
" 8	"	Edna D. Winchester	"	24	"	Keene	Elizabeth Randall Emerson	Chesterfield Gilsun	1st	"
" 10	"	William H. Baldwin	"	26	Chair finisher	"	Jennie M. Britton	Westmoreland Pittsford, Vt.	1st	Rev W. A. Hadley Keene
" 18	Marlboro	Sadie Quarford	"	21	Farmer	Worcester Ms.	Thomas Baldwin	Brattleboro, Vt.	1st	"
" 18	Keene	Adin A. Hall	"	41	Farmer	Mendon, Ms.	Cynthia Barron	Sweden	1st	"
" 25	"	Maria W. Scripture	"	30	"	Surry	Carl Quarford	"	1st	Rev. C. B. Elder Keene
" 30	"	John Beliveau	"	41	At Liv Stable	Canada	Merrick E. Hall	Uxbridge, Ms.	1st	"
" 18	Keene	Estella R. Gates	"	49	Hackman	Burke, Vt.	Mary E. Hill	Blackstone Ms	1st	"
" 25	"	Edward P. Pender	"	35	"	Keene	Walter Scripture	Nelson	1st	"
" 30	"	Mattie A. Rogers	"	25	"	Plattsburg N Y	Alice Cram	Canada	2d	Rev E. W. Webber Marlboro
" 30	"	Robert F. Gurnsey	"	23	Merchant	Keene	Mary Stone	Burke, Vt.	2d	"
" 30	"	Maudie I. Damon	"	22	Coachman	Ireland	Carlton Martin	Newark, Vt.	1st	Rev J. L. Seward Keene
" 30	"	Patrick A. Collins	"	40	"	Keene	Hannah Ball	Ireland	1st	"
" 30	"	Margaret E. Crowley	"	45	"	Keene	Patrick Pender	Brandon, Vt.	1st	"
" 30	"	John McLane Roger	"	27	R R employee	Ottawa, Ca.	Bridget Hagau	Rutland, Vt.	1st	Rev J. Walther Keene
" 30	"	Margaret L. Reason	"	20	"	Keene	Isaac Rogers	Keene	1st	"
" 30	"	"	"	"	"	"	Harriette White	Stoddard	1st	"
" 30	"	"	"	"	"	"	Frank N. Gurnsey	Troy	1st	"
" 30	"	"	"	"	"	"	Mary J. Gilson	Wilmington, Vt.	1st	"
" 30	"	"	"	"	"	"	Marcus V. Damon	Ireland	1st	"
" 30	"	"	"	"	"	"	Ella L. Knapp	"	1st	"
" 30	"	"	"	"	"	"	Patrick Collins	"	1st	"
" 30	"	"	"	"	"	"	Catherine Connors	"	1st	"
" 30	"	"	"	"	"	"	Timothy Crowley	"	1st	"
" 30	"	"	"	"	"	"	Mary Roach	"	1st	"
" 30	"	"	"	"	"	"	John C. Roger	Dundee, Scot.	1st	"
" 30	"	"	"	"	"	"	Elizabeth McIntire	Quebec, Ca.	1st	"
" 30	"	"	"	"	"	"	John Reason	Keene	1st	"
" 30	"	"	"	"	"	"	Margaret E. Foley	"	1st	"

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May 2	Keene	Alfred H. Hall	Keene	20	Chair seater	Keene	Henry W. Hall Julia Griffin	Keene Ticonderoga N.Y.	1st	S. S. Quinn N.P. Keene
" 4	"	Nellie M. Bates	"	17		Bradford, Ca.	Frank Bates Jen'e Whittemore	Keene Acworth	1st.	
" 8	"	Frederick Seibert	"	35	Electrician	Buffalo, N. Y.	Charles Seibert Wilomena Ekpie	Berlin, Ger. Germany	1st	Rev. C. B. Elder Keene
" 8	"	Lena A. Graves	"	27		Digby, N. S.	James Armstrong Emma Ockworth	Digby, N. S. Nova Scotia	2d	
" 8	"	Harry E. Staples	"	38	Farmer	Bowery Beach [Me]	Augustus Staples Nancy Blanchard	Bow'y Beach Me Cumberland Me	2d	Rev G W Ruland Keene
" 20	"	Clara E. Streeter	"	36		E Westmoreland	Hiram Woodw'd Emily Staples	E Westmoreland Canada	2d	
" 26	"	Arthur J. Castor	"	18	Box maker	Highgate, F, Vt	Louis Castor Sophia Greency	" Troy	1st	Rev A H Wheeler Keene
" 26	"	Nellie M. Ward	Troy	17		Troy	Chas. F. Ward Flora H. Abbott	Keene Keene	1st	
" 31	"	George W. Newton	Keene	28	Pail turner	Winchendon Ms	Jos. F. Newton M. Rhyndhardt	Montreal, P. Q. Syracuse, N. Y.	1st	Rev W. A. Hadley Keene
" 31	"	Christine A. Thrower	"	18		No. Dana, Ms.	Richard Thrower Hattie P. Cook	Athol, Mass. Granby, Mass.	1st	
" 31	"	Richard H. Hussey	Boston, Mass	35	Merchant	Boston, Ms.	Henry Hussey Margaret A Burke	London, Eng. Ireland	1st	Rev A H Wheeler Keene
" 31	"	Edith Provonchee	"	27		"	Ab'm Provonchee Clara Sweet	Manchester Boston, Mass.	1st	
" 31	"	Lucian A. Leathe	Gardner, Ms.	25	Drug clerk	Gardner, Ms.	George G. Leathe Emma R. Brown	Royalston, Ms. Gardner, Mass.	1st	Rev. T. E. Cramer Keene
" 3	"	Edith L. Giles	Clinton, Ms.	26		Ellenburg, N. Y.	Solon A. Giles Thomas Gogan	Ellenburg, N. Y. Ireland	1st	
" 3	"	James F. Gogan	Keene	33	Shoemaker	Ireland	L. E. Chamberlain Mary Boyd	Chazy, N. Y. Ireland	1st	Rev. D. A. Ryan Keene
" 3	"	Lizzie Martin	"	27		Salisbury, Vt.	Thomas Martin Mary Rogers	Canada Ireland	1st	

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June 1	Keene	William B. Thorning	Winch'd'n Ms	32	Physician	Sullivan	Wm. H. Thorning	Claremont	1st	Rev. C. B. Elder
		Gertrude Goodnow	Keene	29		East Sullivan	Elzab'h H. Knight	Charlestown		Com.
" 1	Westport (Swanzy)	Harvey F. Parker	"	26	Teamster	Alstead	Dan. W. Goodnow	E. Sullivan	1st	Worcester, Ms
		Ida Fairbrother	Camb'gp't Vt	14		Camb'report Vt	Mary E. Nims	Keene	1st	Rev B F Kellogg
" 6	Keene	Brainerd D. Nims	Keene	23	Cashier	Sullivan	Gerald Parker	Montpelier, Vt.	1st	W. Swanzy
		Mary J. Aldrich	"	24		Keene	Clara Leason	Camb'gp'o't Vt	1st	
" 7	Greenfield, Ms	Arthur L. Wade	"	22	Fireman	Dorset, Vt.	G. H. Fairbrother	Westminster Vt	1st	
		Flora C. Reynolds	Greenfield, Ms	18		Greenfield, Ms.	Jennie M. Ober	"	1st	Rev W. A Hadley
" 7	Keene	William D. Grant	Schenectady	26	Draughtsman	Guilderland NY	Augustus F. Nims	Sullivan	1st	Keene
		Bessie M. Reed	Keene	25		Dover, Vt.	Sarah M. Drake	Garland, Me.	1st	
" 8	"	Stephen T. Brooks	Montague Ms	29	Clerk	Templeton, Ms.	Herbert C. Aldrich	Swanzy	1st	
		Alice E. Smith	Keene	20		Winchendon Ms	Clara J. Cook	Keene	1st	Rev A H Herrick
" 12	"	Louis H. Webster	Boston	27	Stenographer	Surry	Geo. W. Wade	Whitehall, N. Y.	1st	Greenfield, Ms
		Mayflower Lyman	Keene	22		Winchester	Alice Haselton	Dorset, Vt.	1st	
" 14	"	Clifford J. Hinds	"	27	Painter	Walpole	Dar's A. Reynolds	Greenfield, Mass	1st	
		Helen E. Sprague	"	16		Keene	Jen. C. Barringt'n	Adamsville, Ms.	1st	Rev W. A Hadley
							Sweeton D. Grant	Guilderland NY	1st	Keene
							Carol'e McMull'n	Albany, N. Y.	1st	
							Henry D. Reed	Dummerston Vt	1st	
							Mary J. Fessenden	Dover, Vt.	1st	
							George A. Brooks	Templeton, Ms.	1st	Rev. W. G. Poor
							Eugenia Wharf	Gardner, Me.	1st	Com.
							Clinton J. Smith	Asburnh'm Ms	1st	Topsfield, Ms
							Sarah L. Stowell	Gardner, Ms.	1st	
							Fr'nk'n P. Webster	Walpole	1st	Rev W. A Hadley
							Aug. J. Zimm'm'n	New York, N. Y.	1st	Keene
							Henry Lyman	Winchester	1st	
							Theresa A. Fuller	Goshen	1st	
							Jarvis H. Hinds	Asburnh'm Ms	1st	Rev. J. Walther
							Emma Townsends	Alstead	1st	Keene
							Abner F. Sprague	Wardsboro, Vt.	1st	
							Emma C. Mason	Keene	1st	

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June 14	Millers Falls, [Ms.]	William A. Slade	Keene [Ms.]	22	Clerk	Alstead [Ms.]	Henry A. Slade	Bondville, Vt.	1st	Rev. Chas. Clark
" 15	Keene	Lillian M. Clark	Millers Falls,	20		Millers Falls,	Agnes Turnbull	Selkirk, Scot.	1st	Millers Falls, Ms.
" 17	"	Harry W. Greenleaf	Swanzy	21	Wood worker	Orange, Ms.	Lydia A. Perry	Chesterfield	1st	Rev. J. Walther
" 17	"	Winifred Viola Ellis	Keene	18		Keene	Albion Greenleaf	Boston, Ms.	1st	Keene
" 17	"	Edward Coffey	"	23	Sawyer	"	Frank H. Mann	No. Carolina	1st	
" 17	"	Margaret Knox	"	29		Nova Scotia	Maria F. Lane	Richmond	1st	
" 26	Gilsum	Fred W. Hodgkins	"	21	Teamster	Walpole	John Coffey	Ireland	1st	Rev A H Wheeler
" 26	Gilsum	Dora V. Smith	Gilsum	17		Stoddard [N. Y.]	Marg't Brandle	"	1st	Keene
" 28	Keene	Clarence F. Trombley	Keene	20	Machinist	Plattsburg,	Charles Knox	Nova Scotia	1st	
" 28	"	Florence M. Hall	"	20		Keene	Mary A. Riley	"	1st	
" 28	"	Walter L. Moore	"	23	Farmer	Westmin'r West	Geo. H. Hodgkins	Alstead	1st	Rev. A. W. Field
" 28	"	Jennie C. Wright	"	27		Keene	Sarah Cooke	"	1st	Gilsum
July 1	"	Sidney L. Hall	Fitchburg, Ms	24	Shoe cutter	No. Adams, Ms.	Abbie A. Howard	Mont Vernon	1st	
" 4	"	Marion R. Gowdey	Keene	20		Keene	Alfred N. Trombley	St. Johns, Ca.	1st	Rev. J. Walther
" 4	"	Willard Neaves	"	24	Glue factory	Nova Scotia	Carol'e E. Cushing	Goshen, N. Y.	1st	Keene
" 4	"	Essie L. Rogers	"	19		Keene	Wm. C. Hall	Westmoreland	1st	
							Nellie G. Joslin	Keene [Vt.]	1st	Rev. A. W. Bailey
							Chas. F. Moore	Westmins'r W.,	1st	Keene
							Laura A. Fernald	Charlest'n, Ms.	1st	
							Frank O. Wright	Keene	1st	
							Floren'e E. Rogers	Marlow	1st	
							Geo. H. Hall	No. Adams, Ms.	1st	Rev T. J. Finning
							Jennie Jones	Claremont	1st	Keene
							Jas. M. Gowdey	Keene	1st	
							Delia Roach	Nova Scotia	1st	Rev W A Hadley
							William Neaves	"	1st	Keene
							Mary Sabin	Chesterfield	1st	
							Geo. A. Rogers	Monson, Ms.	1st	
							Leila McNall		1st	

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July 9	Keene	Cornelius H. Donovan	Keene	30	Boiler maker	Keene	John H. Donovan Mary Connelly	Ireland	1st	Rev. D. A. Ryan Keene
" 10	"	Emma M. Rule	"	25		New York State	Louis Rule	New York State	1st	
" 12	"	William E. Patenoude	Athol, Ms.	23	Engineer	Warwick, Ms.	Cyril Patenoude Mary Oakley	Canton, Ms. Lowell, Ms.	1st	Rev. T. E. Cramer Keene
" 12	"	Ruby B. Dyer	"	20		Orange, Ms.	Peter Dyer Hannah Tyler	Wendell, Ms.	1st	
" 12	"	William Loranger	Keene	28	Farmer	Ellenburg, N. Y.	Fred Loranger Joseph's Stockdale	Champl'in, N. Y.	1st	Rev. J. L. Seward Keene
" 12	"	Ida S. Reed	"	32		Ireland	Colman Canovan Bridget Riley	Ireland	2d	
" 12	"	Harry C. Domina	"	20	Chair maker	Jay, Vt.	Eli F. Domina Emma Deyo	Enosburg, Vt. New York State	1st	Rev. John Evers Keene
" 15	"	Lizzie O. Naramore	"	17	Woolen spinner	Keene	Fred J. Naramore Addie Jillson	Richmond	1st	
" 15	"	Joseph Cote	"	34		Canada	Isaac Cote [died]	Canada	1st	Rev. D. A. Ryan Keene
" 17	"	Elizabeth Bowen	"	35		Burlington, Vt.	Dorothy Legan Theodore Bolio	"	2d	
" 17	"	Fred S. Fisher	Leominster, [Ms.]	50	Carpenter	Brattleboro, Vt.	Delima Carpenter Geo. W. Fisher	Brattleboro, Vt.	3d	Rev. T. E. Cramer Keene
" 20	"	Hattie A. Pratt	Brattleboro, [Vt.]	50		"	Mary Curry Mary Chamberlin	Dummerston,	2d	
" 20	"	Frank W. Strong	Keene	45	Salesman	"	Calvin D. Strong Ann A. Holbrook	Plainfield [Ms.] Ashburnham, Keene	2d	Rev. C. B. Elder Commissioner
" 24	"	Nettie M. Willson	"	41		Keene	Warren O. Willson Sarah A. Buffum	Royalston, Ms.	1st	
" 24	"	Horace B. Gale.	Natick, Ms.	43	Con. engineer	Natick, Ms.	Isaac Gale Abby F. Bigelow	Roxbury, Ms. Natick, Ms.	1st	Rev. A. H. Wheeler Keene
" 24	"	Mary E. Eastman	Keene	23		Keene	Chas. J. Eastman Mary E. Ball	St. Albans, Vt. Keene	1st	

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July 22	Keene	Fred L. Popple	Templeton	Ms 39	Sta. fireman	Sullivan	Louis Popple Caroline Revorum	Athol, Mass. Vermont	2d	Rev. A. W. Bailey Keene
" 29	"	Francena M. Hall	Fitchburg	Ms 44	Laundress	Derry	Benj. Shepley Emeline Messer	Derry Shirley, Mass.	2d	
" 29	"	Guy L. Roby	Keene	24	Machinist	Keene	Walter Roby Abby Lockwood	Townsend, Ms. Springfield, Vt.	1st	Rev T. E. Cramer Keene
" 29	"	Myrtle L. Guillow	"	17	"	"	Fred E. Guillow Abbie Hall	Gilsum Stoddard	1st	
" 29	"	John G. Raymond	"	29	City emp'ee	Winchester	Gilman Raymond Jennie L. Dingman	Westmoreland Winchester	1st	Rev. A. W. Bailey Keene
" 29	"	Alice Britton	"	22	Weaver	Saltaire, Eng.	John Milton Ann Walton	Bristol, Eng. Shepley, Eng.	2d	
Aug. 7	"	Harry H. McIntyre	Worcester	Ms 24	Stenographer	Marlboro	Frank McIntyre Anna M. Ryan	Lowell, Mass. Peterboro Idon	1st	Rev W. A. Hadley Keene
" 7	Three Rivers	Ada L. Johnson	"	21	"	Worcester, Ms.	Andrew Johnson Anna Larson	Stockholm Swe- den	1st	
" 9	Keene	Benjamin Vigneault	Keene	29	Sawyer	Canada	Adolph Vigneault Celia Onilette	Canada " "	1st	J. V. Campeau Palmer, Ms.
" 9	Keene	Virginia Vigneault	Thorndike	Ms 34	"	"	Stanislas Vigne't Delina Morin	" Ireland	1st	Rev T. J. Finning Keene
" 14	"	Jeremiah F. Driscoll	Boston, Ms.	26	Machinist	Keene	Moses Driscoll Catharine White	England Ireland	1st	
" 14	"	Mary E. McDonald	Keene	30	[maker	Ireland	John McDonald Mary Collins	Canada Ivone, N. Y.	1st	Rev. D. A. Ryan Keene
" 14	"	George S. Bergeron	"	22	Brush handle	Keene	Calice Bergeron Adeline Bushey	Canada Burlington	1st	
" 14	Everett, Ms.	Helen L. Lower	"	16	"	St. Albans, Vt.	Irene Lower Rose Florie	Canada Hadley, Mass.	1st	
" 14	Everett, Ms.	Don C. Quinn	"	32	Jeweler	Keene	Samuel S. Quinn Sarah Richardson	Stoddard	2d	Rev. A. Harris Everett, Ms.
" 14	Everett, Ms.	Minnie E. Dodge	Everett, Ms.	31	"	Cary, Ill.	James L. Dodge Mary P. Snow	Stoddard	1st	

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Aug 16	Keene	Josiah W Buckminster	Keene	59	Farmer	Roxbury	David Buckminster	Roxbury	3d	Rev W A. Hadley Keene
" 20	"	Gladys Buckminster	"	40		Marlboro	Mary A. Whitney	"	2d	
		Robert H. Henry	"	33	Janitor	Halifax, N. S.	Hosca B. Knight	"	1st	Rev. D. A. Ryan Keene
		Gertrude E. Allman	"	20		Florence, Ms.	Abbie F. Wallace	"	1st	
June 21	Somerville Ms	Angus Currie	"	38	Woolen op'er	Cape Breton NS	Charles Henry	Nova Scotia	1st	
		Catherine McDougal	Somerville Ms	28	Dressmaker	"	Mehetabel Geddes	Ireland	1st	
Aug 31	Keene	Charles A. Hills	Keene	19	Brush handle maker	Springfield, Ms.	Sarah Ryan	"	1st	Rev. M. J. Welch Somerville Ms
		Gertrude M. Avery	"	18		Swansey	Annie McCormick	"	1st	
Sept. 6	Marlboro	Engene J. Perusse	"	31	Motorman	Lowell, Ms.	Isabella Gillis	"	1st	
		Bridget Everard	Marlboro	28		Canada	Charles F. Hills	Springfield, Ms.	1st	Rev. J. Walther Keene
" 11	Keene	Arthur T. Messer	Keene	22	Clerk	Ludlow, Vt.	Hattie L. Warner	Granville, N. Y.	1st	
		Martha H. Randall	"	23		Keene	Edward D. Avery	Keene	1st	[fleur] Rev. H. J. Belle-Marlboro
" 21	"	John L. Hronek	Fitzwilliam	22	Tool maker	Springfield, Ms.	Cyrille Perusse	Canada	1st	
		Maude B. O'Donnell	Keene	19		Winchendon Ms	Frank Everard	Ireland	1st	Rev. A. W. Bailey Keene
" 26	"	Edwin W. N. Ellis	"	23	Teamster	Roxbury	Aureli Melancon	Plymouth, Vt.	1st	
		Abbie C. M. Hardy	"	35		St. John, N. S.	Elwin C. Messer	Chester, Vt.	1st	
							Helen M. Jones	Richmond	1st	Rev. A. H. Wheeler Keene
							Elbridge Randall	Gismum	1st	
							Eliza A. Howland	"	1st	
							Frederick Hronek	Germany	1st	
							Mary Paster	"	1st	
							John O'Donnell	Keene	1st	
							Mary I. Harvey	Winchester	1st	
							Henry Ellis	Keene	1st	
							Louisa Campbell	Providence, R. I.	1st	Rev. J. Walther Keene
							Samuel T. Mosher	St. John, N. B.	2d	
							Rachel P. Dunham	"	2d	

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Oct. 2	Keene	Chas. E. Scarborough	Keene	21	Laundryman	Bristol, Vt.	E. Scarborough Mary Trudo	Bristol, Vt. Essex Junc., Vt.	1st	Rev. McLaughlin Keene
" 2	"	Jos'e'n'e M. L. Derosier	"	16		Marlboro	Fred Derosier E. Champagne	St. Felix, Ca. Sable Forks, N.Y.	1st	
" 5	"	George D. Blythe Jennie I. Bouvier	Marlboro	22 19	Machinist	St. Albans, Vt. Westmoreland	Albert Blythe Nydia French Sam. C. Bouvier Harriett Gustine	Canada Northfield, Vt. Highgate, Vt. Manchester	1st 1st	Rev. A. H. Wheel- Keene
" 7	"	Edward David Anne Ryan	Keene	26 25	Toymaker	Swanzy Keene	Joseph A. David Melinda White Patrick Ryan	Montreal, P. O. Burlington, Vt. Ireland	1st 1st	Rev. A. H. Wheel- Keene
" 11	"	Fred B. Gorman Mary F. Coolidge	"	28 24	Paill turner	Georgia, Vt. Concord, Mass	Wm. Gorman Julia Flood Wm. Coolidge Rosella Briggs	Canada Ireland Troy Woburn, Mass.	1st 1st	Rev. J. Walther Keene
" 11	"	James Bass Mary Wallbank	"	69 59	Harnessm'ker	England	Wm. Bass Sophia C. Dennis Thos. Beech	England England England	2d 2d	Rev. D. A. Ryan Keene
" 12	"	Chas. F. Leonard Clara E. Bass	"	36 35	Hotel Prop'r	Shoreham, Vt. Campton, Ca.	Hannah Bailey John S. Leonard Cath'r'ne Mackin James Bass	England Fairfield, Vt. England Ireland	1st 1st	Rev. Thos. Fin- Keene
" 17	"	George P. Levey Lena A. Clark	Ludlow, Vt. Keene	28 28	Woolen M'f'g	Harrisville Keene	Mary Ryan George H. Levey Thirza E. Needh'm M. V. B. Clark	Ireland Ireland Peterboro Ludlow, Vt.	1st 1st	Rev. A. H. Wheel- Keene
" 17	"	Clarence H. Streeter Isabell Aug's'ta Nims	Worcester Keene	30 28	Bookkeeper	Chesterfield Keene	Mary E. Scovill Hosca B. Streeter Ellen Davenport Elmer A. Nims Ellen M. Billings	Walpole Chesterfield Chesterfield Sullivan Roxbury	1st 1st	Chas. B. Elder Worcester Mass

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Oct. 25	Keene	Leonard W. Ingham	Clinton, Ill.	24	Lawyer	Waynesville, Ill.	Geo. K. Ingham	Andersonville, O.	1st	Rev. A. W. Bailey Keene
		Minnie C. Bridgman	Keene	27		Keene	Ch. H. Bridgman	Waynesville, Ill.	1st	
Sept 14	"	Eben B. Spencer	"	24	Printer	"	Carle M. Clarke	Putney, Vt.	1st	[D. D. Rev. J. L. Seward Keene
		Ethel B. Merrill	"	21		Amesbury, Ms.	Jas. H. Spencer Julia E. Buckman Geo. A. Merrill	Springfield, Vt. Dover	1st	
Nov. 1	Chelsea, Ms.	George H. Eames, Jr.	Keene	21	Bookkeeper	Keene	Lizzie A. Jones	Somersworth	1st	[Bush Rev. R. Perry Chelsea, Ms.
"	2 Keene	Amy M. Ballou	Chelsea, Ms.	22		Richmond	George H. Eames Marg't Anderson	Swanzey [Ms. Charlestown,	1st	
		Joseph J. Magee	Keene	28	Box maker	Dublin, Ireland	William J. Ballou Amy Whipple	Swanzey Rockville, Ct.	1st	
"	6	Mary R. Cundell	"	35		"	Henry MaGe	Ireland	1st	Rev. D. A. Ryan Keene
		Clark L. Darby	"	42	Laborer	[Vt. Westminster,	Mary Costello William Cundell	"	1st	
"	11	Nellie J. Smith	"	42		Brookfield, Ms.	Margaret MaGee James L. Darby	Westmoreland Woodstock, Vt.	4th	[P. Hiram Blake, J. Keene
		Charles W. Shover	"	31	Spinner	[Vt. Wallingford,	John W. Russell Susan M. Colby	Brookfield, Ms.	2d	
"	16	Jessie B. Dewgaw	"	25		Keene	Augusta Webber Emma Tillier	Braintree, Ms. E. Berkshire, Vt.	2d	[Iland Rev. G. W. Ru- Keene
		Leon H. Fellows	"	21	Shoemaker	Keene	Frank L. Bragg Jennie P. Dawson	Canada Wallingford, Vt.	2d	
"	19	Grace A. Pepper	"	18		Charlestown, [Ms.	Frank H. Fellows Ellen Tyrell	Dorchester	1st	Rev. J. Walther Keene
		George C. Towne	"	43	Agent	Milford	Fred J. Pepper Jennie Welsh	Bridgewater Germany	1st	
		Lucy A. C. Nye	"	46		Keene	Ezra C. Towne Nancy O. Burns John W. Nye	Bow Newfoundland Milford Keene	1st	[Jurne Rev. L. Olin Sher- Rocking'm, Vt.

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Nov. 30	Keene	Daniel E. Driscoll	Keene	22	R'd helper	Keene	Cornelius Driscoll Hann'h Lombard	Ireland	1st	Rev T J Panning Keene
"	"	Catherine M. Leachey	"	24	[live	"	John Leachey	Albany, N. Y.	1st	
"	"	Warren Delano	"	22	Shoe opera-	Charlestown, Keene	Mary Patten	Bellows Falls, Vt	1st	Rev T E Cramer Keene
"	"	Mabel Clara Jones	"	20			Georgiana Ray George S. Jones Clara M. Hall	Keene Walpole	1st	

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		Years.	Months.		Male or Female.	S, M, W.	Father.	Mother.		
1904.										
Dec. 1	— Castor	67	5 11	Keene	F	S	Keene	Highgate F's, Vt.	Wm. VanNess	Sophie Greeney
" 7	Harriet A. Trask	70	10 29	Westford, Ms.	F	W	Ireland	Chester, Vt.	— George	Adeline Patch
" 8	Frances M. Colony	70	10 29	Keene	F	M	Ireland	Ireland	Joshua D. Colony	Frances S. Blake
" 14	Patrick Touhey	70		Ireland	M	S			— Touhey	
" 20	Ruth E. Bartlett	1	2 25	Worcester, Ms.	F	S	Cheserfield	Fayette, Me.	Theodore A. Bartlett	Flora M. King
" 20	Ellen E. Pratt	67	8 10	Jericho, Vt.	F	M	New Hampshire	New Hampshire	Samuel Burns	Charlotte Stevens
" 20	Antonio Papile			Keene	M	S	Italy	Italy	Lewis Papile	Maria Trubbiano
" 21	Jennie A. Pepper	46	7 13	St. Johns, N. F.	F	M	St. Johns, N. F.		Joseph Welch	Grace Williams
" 21	Seth S. Wood	64		Middletown, N. Y.	M	M	Ireland	Canada	Reeves Wood	
" 22	James F. Enright	1	1 21	Winchendon, Ms.	M	S	Ireland	Ireland	Michael Enright	Mary V. Deschine
" 23	Hannah Magnusson	50		Nova Scotia	F	M	Canada	Canada	— Hopkins	Emelie Beaudoin
" 25	Clarina L. Dubois	19		St. Leonore, Ca.	F	M	"	"	Alfred Lacharite	Clarina Lacharite
" 25	— Dubois			Keene	F	M	Ireland	"	Hermenegilde Dubois	Mary V. Deschine
" 25	Joseph E. Enright	6 11	18	Winchendon, Ms.	M	S	Moidort, Scot.	Pittston, Me.	Michael Enright	Katharine Sullivan
" 27	Martin A. Macdonald	45		Bath, Me.	M	S	Ireland	Ireland	Ronald A. Macdonald	Mary Driscoll
" 28	Daniel J. Donovan	29	8 27	Keene	F	S			Jeremiah Donovan	
" 30	Frances E. Johnson	53			M	S	Lyndeborough	Carlisle, Ms.	John E. Heald	Rebecca Estabrooks
" 31	John E. Heald	83	8	Lyndeborough	M	M				
1905.										
Jan. 1	Edwin M. King	50	4 26	Alstead	M	M			Benj. S. King	Susan Willard
" 2	Martin Cook	72	4	Richmond	M	M	Richmond	Richmond	Benj. Cooke	Susan Willard
" 3	Relief Abbott	66	6 12	Charlestown	F	M			Samuel Bosworth	
" 7	Gaetana Leonardo	25		Italy	F	M			Felece Leonardo	
" 7	Philippe Gaudette	47	2 26	Canada	M	M	Canada	Canada	David Gaudette	Mary Richards [ster
" 12	Walter A. Whitman	38		Bellows Falls, Vt.	M	M	Boston, Ms.	Roxbury	Frank Whitman	Martha A. Buckmin-
" 12	Marion F. Enright	10 11	5	Keene	F	S	Warwick, Ca.	Atthol, Ms.	Thos. Enright	Kate Stanton
" 15	Joseph F. Dion	93	8 16	Royalton, Vt.	M	W	Peterboro	Saginaw, Mich.	Fred Dion	Alexina Dubois
" 16	Emily M. Dickinson	93	8 16	Royalton, Vt.	F	W	Peterboro	Peterboro	John G. Smith	Esther Milliken
" 17	Ann C. Nims	64	10 29	Danby, Vt.	F	W	Danby, Vt.	Danby, Vt.	Hiram Bromley	Eliza Paddock
" 19	Ella A. Applin	40	9 29	Salem, Ms.	F	M			— Gordon.	

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		Years.	Months.	Days.		Male or Female.	S. M., W.*	Father.	Mother.		
Jan. 22	Fred'rick, Normandy	1	10	29	West Swanzey	M	S	Canada	Danmemora, N. Y.	Edward Normandy	Mary J. Tessier
" 22	Benj. W. Ryan	78	11	1	Fitzwilliam	M	M	Fitzwilliam	Fitzwilliam	Benj. Ryan	Lucy Fassett
" 23	Elizabeth R. Chase	6	10	Keene	"	F	S	Winchester	Portland, Me.	Fredrick T. Chase	Florence M. Bradbury
" 24	Henry Mackay	28	4	18	"	M	S	Dartmouth, N. S.	Roden, N. S.	Michael Mackay	Amelia Meek
" 28	Mary L. Buflum	70	6	Surry	"	F	W	Andover, Ms.	Surry	Daniel Robinson	Nancy Harvey
" 31	Warren W. Stone	87	4	11	"	M	M	"	"	Dana Stone	"
" 31	James W. Ware	31	5	7	Alstead	M	M	"	"	"	"
Feb. 7	Joseph Oliver	89	3	6	"	M	S	Walpole	Danmemora, N. Y.	Elijah Woods	Mary S. Robbins
" 8	Diana Graves	10	7	"	"	F	W	Winchester	Keene	Sally Brown	"
" 9	Josephine M. Norcross	73	9	"	Ireland	F	W	Ireland	Bolton, Ms.	Geo. O. Norcross	Eva M. Crouch
" 9	Catharine Higgins	73	3	"	"	M	M	(Adopted by)	Norcross)	John Murphy	Mary Daley
" 10	John E. Norcross	73	3	"	"	M	S	Keene	Albany, N. Y.	George Whitcomb	Betsey Rolfe
" 10	— Howes	37	6	15	New Ipswich	F	M	New Ipswich	Hillsboro	Jean P. Howes	Mary E. Turner
" 12	Joséphine L. Williams	45	6	19	"	F	W	Ireland	Ireland	Silas Boyce	Sarah A. Baldwin
" 16	Grace C. Bond	68	7	15	Troy	F	W	Fitzwilliam	Chesterfield	Peter Hagan	Mary Hughes
" 16	Mary Winn	63	7	"	"	F	W	"	"	John Amadon	Betsey Putney
" 16	Sarah E. Capron	78	1	"	"	F	S	Ireland	Ireland	John Sweeney	Annie Regan
" 17	Johanna Donovan	72	6	Keene	"	F	W	Keene	Dublin	William Parker	Nancy Morse
" 19	William E. Sweeney	81	9	10	Boston, Ms.	M	W	Boston, Ms.	Launcester, Ms.	Levi Ruggles	— Willey
" 20	Caroline Dunn	87	9	10	Ireland	F	W	Ireland	"	John Downey	Margaret Maloney
" 22	William W. Ruggles	87	9	10	"	M	S	Wales	"	William J. Evans	Kate Scriven
" 22	Catherine O'Brien	76	5	14	Charlton, Ms.	F	W	Livingston, Ms.	Charlton, Ms.	Prentiss Whiting	Harriet Willard
" 23	— Evans	28	2	17	Chesterfield	F	S	Chesterfield	Chesterfield	Chandler Cressey	Alice Darling
Mar. 2	Jane W. Ross	54	8	"	Springfield, Vt.	F	M	Ireland	Ireland	John Kent	Mary McCarthy
" 4	Florence F. Cressey	76	6	"	Vercheres, P. Q.	M	M	Vercheres, P. Q.	Canada	Francois Charron	"
" 7	Mary A. Hannan	74	5	"	Peterboro	M	S	Gilsun	Peterboro	F. Ralf Cuthbert	Celia Hunt
" 7	Frank Charron	80	7	18	Rockingham, Vt.	F	W	(Formerly wife of)	Rev. R. Edmund	Danforth, M. E. ch.)	"
" 10	Robert F. Cuthbert	80	7	18	"	F	W	"	"	Ward Clark	"
" 12	Mahala J. Jacobs	80	7	18	"	F	W	"	"	"	"
" 12	Sarah A. Holmes	80	7	18	"	F	W	"	"	"	"

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		Years.	Months.	Days.	Place of Birth.		S, M, W, Fem.	Male or Female.	Place of Birth.			
									Father.	Mother.		
Mar 16	Joseph A. Mackey	25	1	9	1 Keene	M	S	Keene	Swanzy	William Mackey	Mattie Shover	
" 16	Lester A. Nims				" "	M	S	Roxbury	Keene	Albert G. Nims	Harriet A. Thompson	
" 19	Joseph A. Belliveau	70	1	2	" "	M	S	Canada	Canada	Jos Belliveau	Severine Payer	
" 19	Ann Munn	74	10	2	Surry	F	W	Groton, Ms.	Surry	Emerson Ross	Nancy A. Pollard	
" 22	Martha J. Foster	74	10	2	Keene	M	W	Ireland	Ireland	Dennis Hartnett	Phebe Woods	
" 22	Edward J. Hartnett	47	9	2	Keene	F	W	Keene	Keene	Chester Kellogg	Jane E. Kellogg	
" 24	Jane E. Proctor	74	10	20	Herman, N. Y.	M	S	Gilsun	Herman, N. Y.	John Proctor	Thos. Kennedy	
" 24	Fred W. Proctor	36	10	20	Keene	M	S	Manchester	Marlboro	Thos. Barrett	Seraphine LeBlanc	
" 25	Thomas W. Barrett	1	7	6	Harrisville	M	S	Highgate, Vt.	Keene	John Castor	Mehitable Broad	
" 25	— Castor	88	5	11	"	F	W	Keene	"	Israel Marsh	Esther D. Foster	
" 26	Lucretia M. Willard	78	3	25	Dublin	M	M	Mt. Vernon	Keene	Nehemiah Upton		
" 30	Edward E. Upton	58			"	F	M	"	"	"		
" 30	Philomene Gougan	46	2	7	Keene	M	M	Keene	Keene	Alfred A. Perry		
" 27	Herbert A. Perry	77	1	17	Keene	M	M	"	"	"		
1904.	Alonzo Wilson	77	1	17	Keene	M	M	"	"	"		
Dec. 27	Alonzo Wilson	77	1	17	Keene	M	M	"	"	"		
1905.	Edgar S. Hawkes	30	7	24	Fitchburg, Ms.	M	S	Hawley, Ms.	Keene	Chas. K. Hawkes	Jennie M. Bowen	
Jan. 23	George A. Welch	30	7	24	Roxbury, Ms.	M	S	N. Attleboro, Ms.	Keene	C. H. Welch	Annie Darling	
Mar 30	Moris Nalibow	110	26	6	New York, N. Y.	M	S	Russia	Russia	Louis K. Nalibow	Martha Kinsman	
Apr. 3	Everett W. Perkins	67	8	6	Fitchburg, Ms.	M	M	Leominster, Ms.	Fitchburg, Ms.	Wm. Perkins	Esther Balch	
" 3	Joseph Snow	85	11	24	Keene	M	M	Keene	Keene	John Snow	Cynthia Pease	
" 4	Cynthia L. B. Tilden	83	1	24	Hartford, Vt.	F	W	Enfield, Ct.	Enfield, Ct.	Jona. Bugbee	Fanny M. Torrey	
" 7	Fanny M. Bowker	77	6	20	Windham, Vt.	F	W	Vermont	Vermont	Esquire Baker	Pamelia Townsend	
" 8	Hannah T. Blake	90	5	8	Shrewsbury, Ms.	F	W	Vt.	Keene	Dana E. Monroe	Helen P. Bullard	
" 9	Donald I. Davis	36	16	16	Springfield, Vt.	M	S	Landgrove, Vt.	Keene	Archie I. Davis	Lena Reed	
" 10	Daniel F. Beasley	36	16	16	Athens, Vt.	M	W	Ireland	Ireland	— Beasley	Evenda Lorens	
" 10	— Barnes	16	215	3	Keene	F	S	Harrison, Me.	Gardner, Me.	Edward A. Barnes		
" 10	Helma J. Hendrickson	16	215	3	Winchester	F	S	Sweden	Sweden	Lars Hendrickson		
" 12	Alice A. Wilkins	54	3	17	Winchester	F	F	"	"	"		

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Apr. 14	George K. Murray	1	3	3	M	S	St. Albans, Vt. Ireland	St. Albans, Vt. Ireland	George Murray Michael Irwin	Mary L. Deselle Catherine Garey	
" 14	William J. Irwin	26	11	"	M	S	"	"	"	"	
" 15	Bertha Laundry	19	2	1	F	F	Keene	Keene	David Woodward	Asenath —	
" 16	Sarah E. Richards	65	1	16	F	F	Keene	Spoftord	George Shortt	Josephine LaPoint	
" 16	Jenuevie Shortt	1	6	"	F	M	Dublin	Dublin	Moses Fairbanks	Jane Harper	
" 16	Asa Fairbanks	76	10	15	F	F	Dublin	Sullivan	Ashley Mason	Roxana Nims	
" 20	Hattie L. Babbitt	55	1	16	F	W	E. Sullivan	Richmond	Jerius Perry	Susan Harris	
" 21	Lydia M. Hunt	61	9	9	F	S	Swanzy	Keene	Raymond Laware	Delia Paraby	
" 22	Gertrude E. Laware	16	4	18	F	S	Keene	Dublin	John Wight	Beulah Smith	
" 22	Abner S. Wight	82	9	12	M	S	Dublin	Leominster, Ms.	Chester Nims	Cynthia M. Wilder	
" 23	George A. Nims	49	5	17	M	S	Keene	"	Edward J. Hartnett	Hannah Conley	
" 24	Dennis J. Hartnett	28	30	"	M	M	"	"	Sylvester Carroll	Bridget Clark	
" 24	Michael Carroll	71	8	14	M	M	Ireland	Montreal, P. Q.	Richard Bowen	"	
" 25	Philip Bowen	38	11	16	M	S	Montreal, P. Q.	Keene	George L. Mark	Edith C. Bruce	
" 26	Lennie M. Mark	1	5	26	F	S	Keene	Sullivan	John F. Jolly	Mary A. Vigneau	
" 26	— Jolly	70	4	14	F	M	So. Royalton, Vt.	Keene	Simon Sanborn	Sarah Cilley	
" 27	George F. Sanborn	85	"	"	F	W	Ireland	Ireland	Patrick Ahern	Mary Kellcher	
" 29	Johanna Harmon	"	"	"	F	S	Keene	Keene	A. J. Labounty	Rosanna Leblanc	
Feb. 18	Clara J. Foster	3	4	18	F	S	Keene	Keene	Edwin S. Foster	"	
1904.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Dec. 27	Alonzo Willson	77	1	17	M	M	Swanzy	Keene	Aaron Willson	Olive Dwinnell	
1905.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Apr. 28	Harriet N. Colony	74	9	"	F	W	Wareham, Ms.	Middleboro, Ms.	Isaac Stevens	Eunice Backus	
May 1	Edbridge Clarke	93	1	"	F	W	Walpole	"	John B. Clarke	Lydia Flint	
" 3	Mary V. Pair	93	1	"	F	S	Keene	Hinsdale	Peter Pair	Lizzie Young	
Feb. 17	Julia R. W. Potter	79	1	27	F	W	"	Rutland, Vt.	Nathan Wood	Lorinda Ruggles	
May 5	George N. Lang	55	2	23	M	S	"	"	Henry Laug	Catharine P. Hill	
" 5	Elvira S. Trask	62	2	23	F	M	Hinsdale	Winchester	Jehiel Stebbins	Sophronia Smith	
" 5	Ethel Minnie David	1	10	"	F	S	Keene	Rutland, Vt.	Frank A. David	"	

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May 6	Fanny M. Moore	67	9	5	Ireland	Ireland	F	M	Ireland	Ireland	Jerre O'Connor	Bridget Maloney
" 7	Mary Dee	59	1	12	St. Pie, P. Q.	Fall R., R. I.	F	S	Canada	Fall R., R. I.	Marille Ledoux	Marie Petram
" 10	Rosapha Ledoux	66	7	17	Keene	New York State	F	S	New York State	New York State	George Loranger	Delia Loranger
" 13	John Loranger	56	5	6	Keene	Keene	M	S	Keene	Ireland	Jas. J. Higgins	Margaret Daley
" 14	Lucius Doolittle	76	1	12	"	New York State	F	S	New York State	Swanzy	Nathan Leonard	Lucy Pomroy
" 16	Mary E. Higgins	37	11	12	New Haven, Ct.	Ireland	F	M	Ireland	Ireland	Hugh Moffatt	Jane Magee
" 17	Robert F. Spencer	86	1	10	Westmoreland	Westmoreland	F	M	Halifax	Halifax	Nathaniel Wilbur	Lucinda Britton
" 20	Emeline Farnum	27	5	5	Halifax, Ca.	Halifax	M	M	Halifax	Halifax	Joseph Fortier	Madlene F. Fresher
" 21	Francis J. Fortier	80	4	18	Keene	Keene	F	M	Keene	Keene	Aaron Wilson	Olive Dwinnell
" 22	Catharine Buckley	84	1	27	"	Canada	M	S	Canada	"	Fred Chas. Bell	Lizzie Abbott
" 24	Joseph Willson	70	4	6	Winchester	Warwick, Ms.	F	S	Warwick, Ms.	Winchester	David Ball	Fanny P. Capron
" 25	Robert R. Bell	56	10	24	Keene	Keene	M	S	Keene	Stafford'e, Eng.	Royal V. Bryant	Mary J. Bradbury
" 25	Julia B. Thayer	66	2	5	Dorchester	Dorchester	F	M	Dorchester	Dorchester	Moses T. Fellows	Martha B. Waldron
" 26	Helen B. Colby	72	11	3	Jaffrey	Goshen, Vt.	M	M	Goshen, Vt.	East Jaffrey	Chas. G. Gilmore	Pamela Cutter
" 29	Truman S. Fellows	40	16	1	Northampton, Mass	Ireland	F	M	Ireland	Ireland	Patrick Maloney	Hannah Maloney
" 30	Mary A. Rice	25	2	27	Harrisville	Harrisville	M	S	Harrisville	England	James F. Pender	Margaret A. Mitchell
June 1	William E. Maloney	25	2	27	Henniker	Henniker	F	M	Ireland	Ireland	Elisba Rice	Ann Morse
" 12	— Pender	69	15	3	Ireland	Ireland	M	S	Montpelier, Vt.	Montpelier, Vt.	James Coffey	Mary Roach
" 14	Bertha R. Nims	15	3	18	Goshen	Goshen	M	M	Keene	Danvers, Ms.	Wilder H. Sowles	Eliza Smith
" 14	John Coffey	85	10	23	Keene	Keene	M	M	Keene	Acworth	John Lewis	Fanny —
" 15	Darwin W. Sowles	76	2	9	Alstead	Alstead	M	M	Alstead	Troy	Daniel Thompson	Sally Putnam
" 17	Daniel P. Thompson	47	4	30	Bethel, Vt.	Bethel, Vt.	F	S	Swanzy	Royalton	Warren Alden	Lacy Slater
" 18	Elizabeth E. Alden	56	9	9	Keene	Keene	F	M	Swanzy	Troy	John Moody	Emeline French
" 18	Lucinda H. Bingham	76	3	15	Keene	Keene	F	M	Rowley, Ms.	Old Newbury, Ms.	Andrew Sherman, Jr.	Nancy Fuller
" 20	Timothy Sherman	86	9	30	Rowley, Mass.	Rowley, Ms.	M	M	Rowley, Ms.	Old Newbury, Ms.	Moses Richards	Hannah Hale
" 26	George H. Richards	86	9	30	Rowley, Mass.	Rowley, Ms.	M	M	Rowley, Ms.	Old Newbury, Ms.	Moses Richards	Hannah Hale

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June 26	Paul T. O. Johnson	35	2	25	Keene	M	S	Sweden	Denmark	John G. Johnson	Huldah Johnson
" 29	Perley P. Traxler	10	3	10	Delaware, Ohio	M	M	Delaware, Ohio	Frances Town	George L. Traxler	Mary A. Bartlett
" 30	Elizabeth E. Keyes	82	6	9	Rochester, Vt.	F	M	Rochester, Vt.	Keene	Benj. Richardson	Elvira Daniels
July 1	Maranda A. Gurnsey	80	4	26	Winchester	F	W	Winchester	Winchester	Hosca Pickett	Scrapp Whipple
" 3	— Rule	76	10	2	Keene	M	S	St. Renie, P. Q.	Ellenburg, N. Y.	Alexander Rule	Annie Mainville
" 6	Anna S. Richardson	75	7	10	Hyannis, Mass.	F	W	Hyannis, Ms.	Hyannis, Ms.	Isaac Cole	Sarah Mahew
" 8	Hannah Tonhey	16	1	4	Ireland	F	W	Ireland	Ireland	John Conley	Nellie A. Harmon
" 9	Helen Drolet	70	8	25	Keene	F	S	Middlebury, Vt.	Keene	Frank G. Drolet	Justine Dion
" 9	Paul J. E. Cheney	70	8	25	"	M	S	Canada	Old Town, Me.	David E. Cheney	Mary G. Rice
" 9	Alvin R. Foster	70	8	25	Stoddard	M	S	Stoddard	Stoddard	Hosca Demers	Mary L. Beaudet
" 11	— Demers	70	8	25	Keene	F	S	Canada	Canada	Alfred Demers	Charlotte M. Gurney
" 11	Emeline S. Blanchard	50	11	24	Mendota, Ill.	F	M	Turin, N. Y.	Westmoreland,	George Wells	Desanges Deslets
" 14	Emma W. Tesly	67	9	8	Ste. Monique, P. Q.	F	W	Canada	Canada	Jean B. Guevin	Katherine Plans
" 14	Marie G. Bergeron	74	9	8	Catskill, N. Y.	F	W	New York State	New York State	Thos. T. Freidenburg	Mabel E. Corey
" 16	Maria Bartlett	45	16	14	Westmoreland	M	S	W	Chatham, Ms.	Calch Litchfield	Betsy Dunbar
" 16	Robert A. Golden	45	16	14	Westmoreland	M	S	Keene	Boston	Chas. E. Tottingham	Mary S. Grinnell
" 20	Isabella L. Starteva	95	15	1	Weathersfield, Vt.	F	W	Scituate, Ms.	Ireland	— Doran	Catherine Murray
" 23	Marjorie Tottingh'm	15	1	29	Keene	F	S	Ireland	Pottersville	Silas Spear	Rebekah Thayer
" 24	Ernest L. Cummings	56	11	6	Ireland	M	M	Chersterfield, Ms.	Chersterfield	Geo. A. Litchfield	Ellen L. Woodward
" 25	Robert J. Doran	97	6	17	Keene	M	M	Chersterfield	Chersterfield	Theodore Bartlett	Flora King
" 31	Walter H. Litchfield	30	3	19	"	M	S	"	"	Levi Butterfield	— Gray
" 25	Floyd T. Bartlett	30	3	19	Worcester, Mass.	F	S	"	"	— Collins	Eunice Butler
Aug. 2	Gladis M. Bartlett	72	2	9	Amherst, Mass.	M	M	Canada	Canada	Peter Barabhy	Sylvia
" 2	Frank J. Butterfield	74	5	18	Canada	M	M	Concord	Exeter, Me.	Jacob E. Fernald	Sarah L. Champeon
" 2	Lawrence Collins	94	4	30	Sury	F	M	"	"	"	"
" 3	Margaret Keizer	45	3	30	Exeter, Me.	F	M	"	"	"	"
" 4	Emma J. Kingman	45	3	30	Exeter, Me.	F	M	"	"	"	"
" 4	Josiah G. Fernald	30	3	30	Exeter, Me.	M	S	"	"	"	"

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Aug. 8	Frank M. Root	47	6	13	So. Hampton, Ms.	M	M	So. Hampton, Ms.	So. Hampton, Ms.	Ransford Root	Louise Searles
" 10	George E. Holbrook	60	1	19	Surry	M	M	E. Alstead	Surry	Elijah Holbrook	Abigail Ann Robins'n
" 10	George Cattar	60	1	19	Keene	M	S	Syria	Syria	John Cattar	Sadie Joseph
" 21	Glema F. Martin	65	2	22	"	F	S	Boston	Keene	F. Edw'd. J. Martin	Florence C. Bartlett
" 21	George H. Starkey	65	2	22	Granville, Vt.	M	M	Glover, Vt.	Dorchester	Joseph S. Starkey	Mary F. Waldron
" 22	Harry B. Hurd	32	3	11	Keene	M	M	Keene	Keene	George Hurd	Julia Frances Blake
" 22	Sarah L. Goddard	75	2	13	"	F	W	Townsend, Ms.	Weston, Ms.	Artemas Bailey	Clarissa Billings
" 29	Adeline S. Bailey	76	3	25	Townsend, Ms.	F	F	Burlington, Vt.	New York State	Henry Willard	Sarah Perry
Sept. 1	Bial W. Willard	66	8	11	Keene	M	S	Port Henry, N.Y.	Keene	Wm. T. Marteau	Olive Champaigne
" 1	Louis S. Martean	47	8	11	Brattleboro, Vt.	M	M	"	"	David Pelkey	Emily ---
" 4	Henry A. Pelkey	58	9	23	"	M	M	"	"	"	"
" 7	Timothy Sullivan	24	1	10	"	M	S	"	"	"	"
" 7	Ralph Pickett	62	2	2	"	M	M	"	"	"	"
" 8	Gustave Polzer	44	2	2	"	M	M	"	"	"	"
" 8	John A. Lanergan	80	3	14	Sonneborn, Ger.	M	M	"	"	"	"
" 9	Christian Pressler	93	4	22	Keene	F	S	Germany	Germany	Henry A. Hammond	Bridget Wall
" 10	Caleb Winch	30	2	22	Sullivan	M	W	Fitzwilliam	Leominster, Ms.	John Winch	Lucy Gary
" 10	Lillian A. Wilkins	80	2	22	Laconia	F	M	Belmont	Belmont	Geo. H. Lamphrey	Addie L. Farrar
" 11	Harriet Hooper	72	4	10	Walpole	F	W	Williams, Ct.	Williams, Ct.	James Hooper	Mary Gallup
" 13	Elizabeth B. Palmer	40	8	29	Williams, Conn	F	W	Keene	Keene	Lucius Day	"
" 15	Elizabeth Rosbury	66	5	22	Vatour, P. Q.	M	M	Keene	Keene	Joseph Vagina	"
" 19	Isaac H. Wyman	80	10	8	Keene	M	M	Marlboro	Marlboro	Charles Wyman	Mary Ann Ellis
" 20	Levi T. White	74	2	25	Marlboro	M	M	Marlboro	Marlboro	Noah White	Arvilla Lewis
" 22	Addison L. Parker	27	2	29	Phillipston, Mass.	M	M	Nova Scotia	Nova Scotia	Wm. J. Gates	Isabelle Sharpe
" 23	Britton H. Gates	28	9	1	Keene	F	S	Alstead	N. Attleboro, Ms.	C. J. Mead	Isabel E. Price
" 26	Ruth H. Mead	41	9	1	"	F	S	Ireland	Ireland	James Coffey	Ellen Kennedy
" 26	Mary E. Coffey	74	9	23	Richmond	F	M	Richmond	Richmond	Carl Ostrom	Polly Handy
" 27	Frida Ostrom	74	9	23	Richmond	F	M	Richmond	Richmond	James Ballou	"
" 27	Harriet A. B. Russell	74	9	23	Richmond	F	M	Richmond	Richmond	"	"

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Sept. 28	Sarah M. Chandler	70		13	F	M	Elmore, Vt.	Keene	Anson Olmstead	Betsy Walbridge
" 30	— O'Brien			1	M	S	Asburyham, Ms.	Hubbardston Ms.	Timothy O'Brien	Mary Donovan
Oct. 3	Carrie P. Coggins	42		5	F	M	Keene	Ireland	Albert Pond	Eliza A. Stone
" 30	Margaret O'Connor	50		17	F	M	Ireland			
" 7	Charles F. Barron	57		1	M	M	Fitchburg, Ms.		Wm. B. Barron	Phebe D. Eddy
" 8	John A. Marden	61		14	M	M	Launcester		John Marden	Mary A. Chamberlain
" 9	Bettrice M. Hogan	61		6	F	S	Keene	Roxbury	Timothy Hogan	Charlotte A. Timstall
" 9	Lyle Wesley Scott			28	M	S	N. Brookfield, Ms.	Wareh'use Pl., Ct.	Wm. W. Scott	Eliza A. Graves
" 9	Nancy E. Randall	76		21	F	W	Richmond	Ashley, Mass.	Silas Whipple	Priscia Ballou
" 13	Dennis Callahan	65			M	S	Ireland		Benj. Avery	Ellen Sullivan
" 16	Marcus D. Avery	66			M	M	Stetsoville, N. Y.		Geo. L. Mark	Edith C. Bruce
" 17	Mildred B. Mark			3	F	S	Keene			
" 17	Mary Bigelow	74		7	F	S	England			
" 17	Rachel C. Woodward	72		6	F	W	Swansey		Ezekiel F. Lane	Rachel P.
" 19	Mary E. Mark	51		17	F	M	Roxbury		Alfred Lawrence	Martha Davis
" 20	Little R. B. Maynard	52		18	F	M	Marlboro		Artemas Dennis	Catherine
" 20	— Winn			1	M	S	Ireland		Wm. J. Winn	Julia Hayes
" 21	Fred A. Fuller	52		19	M	S	Troy		Isaac Fuller	Hepsie Garfield
" 21	Elizabeth V. Beckwith	73		8	F	W	New London, Ct.		George Grace	Lucetia Miller
" 22	Julia Winn	29		11	F	M	Ireland		Richard Hayes	Julia McCarthy
" 22	Florence Lambert	27		11	F	M	Canada		Henry Lambert	Sophie Trepanier
" 24	Annie W. Wagner	28		7	F	S	Germany		George Wagner	Catherine Riley
" 24	Hannah Dinsmore	74		6	F	S	Canada		Jos. L. Willett	Jessie M. Lewis
" 25	Darrel Louis Willett	61		5	M	S	Taunton, Mass.	Winchester	Jas. Barney	Margaret Dudley
" 26	Mary E. Stanford	86		7	F	W	Roxbury	Westmoreland	Leavitt Phillips	Polly Hinds
" 26	Harvey Phillips			5	M	W				
" 27	Frank Peasley	40		5	M	M	Canada		Jules Peche	Leocadie Cloff
" 27	Victorine Bergeron	63		11	F	M	Gilsum		Luther W. Mark	Mary Hamilton
" 28	Hans H. Mark	21		7	M	M	Keene		Austin T. Gay	Nellie Whitney
Nov. 1	Sadie M. Hall			10	F	M				

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Nov. 1	Lena Strabiano	25	5	24	F	S	Italy	Italy	Giovanni Strabiano	Angelina Antinocci
" 4	Lena M. Stebbins	20	8	26	F	W	Middlebury, Vt.	Antrim	Frank E. Kenyon	Anna Griffin
" 5	Jessie M. Frew	20	1	29	F	S	Charlestown, Ms.	Charlestown, Ms.	Alexander Frew	Agnes Murchhead
" 5	Frank W. Allen	35	1	21	M	S	Surry	Gilsum	Benj. F. Allen	Nellie I. Webster
" 6	Elvira E. Gale	77	4	1	F	W	Alstead	Keene	Grover Bidwell	Lucinda Jeffs
" 6	Irairie Patterson	77	4	1	F	S	Marlboro	Canada	Michael J. Patterson	Annie Bergeron
" 10	Braus Theberge	77	4	1	M	M	Canada	Canada	Francis Theberge	— Minor
" 11	Clara C. Waite	52	9	5	F	M	Hinsdale	Canada	Lyman H. Fisher	Mary Ruffle
" 13	Emily J. Fisher	46	6	17	F	W	England	Marlboro	Mitchell George	Katy Woodward
" 17	Osie Paradise	82	8	13	F	W	Marlboro	Quincy, Mass.	Elias Thatcher	Sophia Briggs
" 20	Nancy T. White	78	8	13	F	W	Wallingford, Ct.	Warwick, Mass.	William Maine	Mattie L. Brown
" 21	Caroline L. Dorman	84	7	10	F	S	Abbot, Me	Charlestown	Fred L. Lord	Martha M. Burnham
" 24	Ruby B. Lord	8	4	24	F	S	Medford, Mass.	Walpole	Chas. H. Barnard	Philauda Watkins
" 26	Charles E. Barnard	23	7	13	M	W	Walpole	Kingston, Mass.	Alpheus Clark	Sarah Foster
" 27	Emma M. Russell	51	7	6	F	W	Boston, Ms.		Joseph Lovering	
" 28	Mary A. Lovering	66	1	6	F	S				

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I hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of births, marriages and deaths is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

FRANK H. WHITCOMB,

City Clerk.

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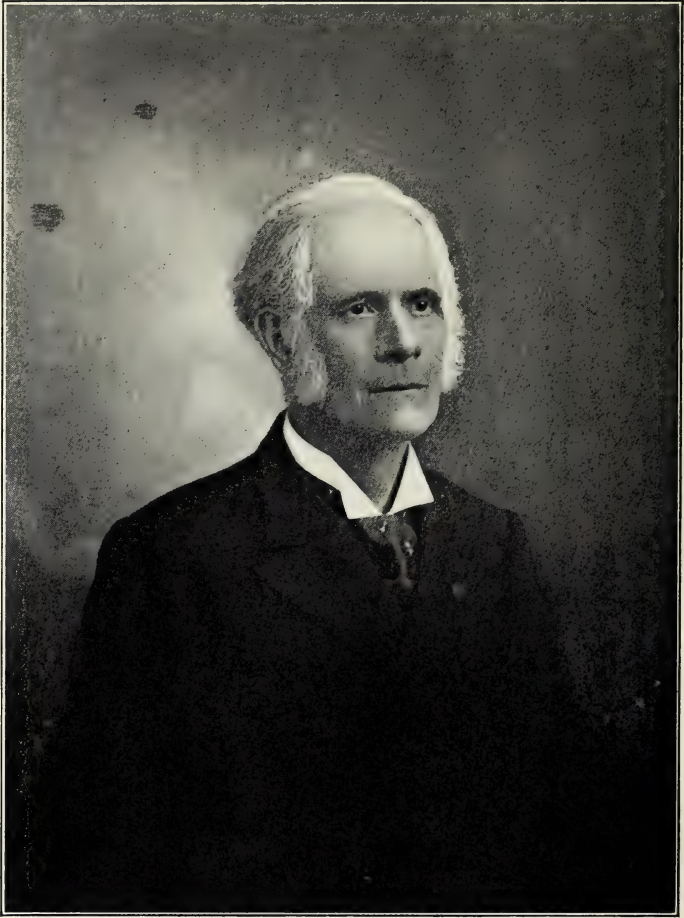


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*M. V. B. Clark.*

THIRTY-THIRD ANNUAL REPORT  
OF THE  
CITY OF KEENE  
CONTAINING  
INAUGURAL CEREMONIES,  
ORDINANCES AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS  
PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCILS,  
WITH  
REPORTS OF THE SEVERAL DEPARTMENTS,  
For 1906.



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## ORGANIZATION OF CITY GOVERNMENT.

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Keene, Tuesday, January 2, 1906.

The members elect of the city government for the municipal year of 1906, having met for organization agreeably to the provisions of the city charter, the convention was called to order by His Honor Mayor Taft, at ten of the clock in the forenoon. The oath of office by law prescribed was administered to the mayor-elect, Martin V. B. Clark, by Hon. James S. Taft, who then introduced him to the aldermen and councilmen present. After roll-call by the clerk, His Honor Mayor Clark administered the oath of office to the following named members of the boards of aldermen and councilmen, to wit:

### BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

- Ward 1.—HENRY W. LANE.
- Ward 2.—CHARLES W. MORSE.
- Ward 3.—BURTIS L. PARKMAN.
- Ward 4.—ARTHUR L. WRIGHT.
- Ward 5.—PATRICK G. TAAFE.

### BOARD OF COMMON COUNCIL.

- Ward 1.—CALVIN W. FARWELL.  
HARRY A. PIERCE.  
FERDINAND D. RODENBUSH.
- Ward 2.—CLINTON J. SMITH.  
FRED F. PAGE.  
CLARENCE W. EMERSON.

Ward 3.—CHARLES H. MASON.

JAMES G. HARVEY.

ARETUS F. GARDNER.

Ward 4.—WORTHEN D. WHITTAKER.

GEORGE D. GILLIS.

ROBERT W. BUNDY.

Ward 5.—LUKE S. OLLIS.

JOHN H. SHEA.

CHARLES A. MADDEN.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Willis A. Hadley, after which the mayor delivered his inaugural address.

After the prayer and inaugural address, Frank H. Whitcomb, was elected clerk, and Albert W. Green, city messenger, and the councils then adjourned until 7:30 o'clock.

At 7:30 o'clock, p. m., the common council organized by the choice of Charles H. Mason, as president, and Herbert O. Wardwell, clerk.

## THE MAYOR'S ADDRESS.

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*Gentlemen of the City Councils:*

We have met today, agreeably to the city ordinances, to organize a municipal government for the city of Keene for the year 1906. The days of our private salutations and hand shaking are days of the past and we are now brought face to face with the stern realities of public service, in which all our transactions will be judged by a discriminating people. Impressed with the implicit confidence manifested by the citizens in placing us in such responsible positions, it is fitting at the outset that I acknowledge my sense of the responsibility to you and my need of your constant and hearty cooperation, and that we all express to the citizens of Keene, in this public manner, our appreciation of the honor they have conferred upon us and to assure them, by the oath by law required, that we will do our full share of the work assigned, as faithfully as our several and collective abilities permit. Let us realize that this ceremony is not a mere matter of form, but a grave assumption of weighty responsibilities, and that we owe it to ourselves and to those who have placed us here to perform these duties and care for the interests of all the people impartially, with a view to obtaining the best results and the greatest good to the greatest number.

In the year that is before us I can foresee no great



municipal problems or perplexing questions to solve. There will be a large amount of work to do and a still larger amount that might be done, perhaps to the great benefit of the community, but the important question to decide will be, what shall be done, and to what extent is it desirable to increase the appropriations suggested by our former government.

By fortunate conditions and by prudent management on the part of the last administration, the city's financial condition is good. The floating debt has been cleared from the slate; the bonded indebtedness reduced to \$162,000 (\$55,000 of which is a block of sewerage bonds, to be decreased the current term by a payment of \$15,000); and the balance of assets over liabilities increased from last year by a substantial sum. We shall be called upon to consider a plan for a sewer system for West Keene, early in the season, for which the people of that district have waited long and patiently. The system should be constructed, and I expect that it can be done without the borrowing of money for that purpose. It should be our aim to make our city attractive to capital and to those seeking a new home as well as sanitary and pleasant for those who now dwell here. If we can make it inviting and healthful, the result will be a marked increase in business and population. We should be thankful that the city has not lost one of its great industries, recently reorganized, and that other enterprises have sprung up in our midst, some of them moving here from abroad, invited by capital and favorable facilities and the good will of the people.

The only way to lessen the expenses of a city is to save in the small things that come up at unexpected times and in unforeseen ways. The aggregate of small appropriations

makes a large and sometimes an embarrassing sum. The appropriations for the different departments will undoubtedly be voted as liberally as possible with the money at our disposal and that which can be depended upon to come in from the several sources of revenue, but it is sincerely hoped that the committees in charge of these departments will see that they are not overdrawn and that, by care and economy, no additional appropriations will be made.

It is not necessary to review the reports of department officers at this time. My purpose is rather to call your attention to the important suggestions contained in them and to direct the attention of our citizens to the full reports as printed, which should be consulted for further information.

#### HIGHWAYS.

One of the most important branches of public work is the construction and maintenance of highways. I am inclined to the opinion, often expressed, that we have been as liberal in the expenditure of money in this department as present methods will permit or warrant. Some of the principal streets should be renewed and resurfaced and should not longer be neglected and allowed to run down and be in poor condition. When we have properly cared for the macadam roads already constructed, means will be found for extensions, if it can be demonstrated that more money will be profitably used in a system of permanent improvements. No matter what material may be used, the chief feature contributing to durability is the manner in which it is laid. The best material will soon go to wreck if it be placed upon a rotten foundation; and then

we must care for the work constructed, before it is too late, or the labor in the first instance is wasted. The superintendent of streets suggests that the appropriation for macadam be used for the purpose of repairing Court and Washington streets; that a change be made in the electric car tracks on West street; and that an iron bridge be built to replace the wooden one over the brook on Water street. The use of iron for the renewal of our bridges is certainly in the line of economy, and the foregoing suggestions are all presented for your timely consideration.

#### FIRE DEPARTMENT.

It is with pleasure that I speak of the efficiency of the Keene fire department and of the general good condition of the apparatus. The chief suggests that the collection of rubbish diminishes the fire risk and the same opinion appears in addresses on this subject delivered in other cities. The actual needs of the department always receive prompt attention on the part of the city councils.

#### CARE OF THE POOR.

This department is well managed by a faithful and efficient officer of long experience. His painstaking administration of the affairs connected with this exacting position should be duly appreciated by the public.

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

A radical change has come about in the administration of this important branch of municipal work. Notwithstanding some differences of opinion in relation to a city of this size requiring a commission, or in the expediency of the measure, all our fellow-citizens agree that the com-

munity is fortunate in the selection made by the governor of our present board of commissioners, in whom the utmost confidence is reposed. In accordance with the act passed by the last legislature the governor and council appointed Frederic A. Faulkner, George H. Follansbee and Herbert B. Viall as a board of police commissioners for the city of Keene. The commissioners having qualified, met on the eleventh day of March, 1905, and organized by the choice of Frederic A. Faulkner, chairman, and Herbert B. Viall, clerk. The commission then appointed a city marshal, regular and special police officers and constables and returned a list for publication on the folders in use by the citizens. They fixed the salary of the marshal at \$1,200 per year, and the pay of the regular police officers at \$2.25 per day, for all services and fees. The special officers receive \$2.00 per day when on duty, for all services rendered the city. The commission adopted rules for the government of the force, a printed copy of which was filed in the office of the city clerk. The commission made suggestions for the improved sanitary conditions of the police station, which have been adopted. They met once in two weeks to consider the business of their department, report to the board of aldermen each quarter, and to the governor in December, annually.

#### KEENE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The care, custody and control of the library and real estate given by the late E. C. Thayer, is in the hands of trustees, six appointed by him and six chosen by the city. A legacy of \$10,000, bequeathed by the late Julia B. Thayer, will be paid to the trustees during the present year. The income is to be expended as the board of trustees may deem to be best.



In addition to a reasonable sum for the maintenance of the public library, the city is bound to appropriate the sum of five hundred dollars per annum for the purchase of books for the library, until such time as it shall have an income of not less than one thousand dollars per annum derived from other sources. The library has already a fund of five thousand dollars given for this purpose by Mrs. Thayer and Miss Chapin, and a smaller legacy given by the late Caroline H. Ingersoll.

#### CEMETERIES.

This department is well cared for, a small appropriation only being needed in addition to the income derived from funds paid into the treasury or invested in the savings banks, and the amount derived from the care and sale of lots, which various amounts all become available as an annual appropriation for the use of the department, under the direction of the superintendent, the joint standing committee and the city councils, in accordance with the ordinances in this case made and provided.

#### TAX DEPARTMENT.

Our tax rate is now \$1.55. On comparing this rate with that of other cities in our state I find that our citizens can be congratulated on a tax rate considerably lower than the average.

To facilitate the collection of the taxes I recommend that you consider the advisability of employing one of the board of assessors to remain in the collector's office on each Saturday of the year during certain hours, and for a week continuously, during business hours, just before the

expiration of the term of discount on payments, and, again, for a week prior to the first day of December, and for this extra service provide suitable compensation.

#### CITY ORDINANCES.

The city ordinances have passed through many changes, since the revision and compilation made in the year 1900, some new features having been added and some having become entirely obsolete. I recommend, therefore, that the city ordinances be revised, compiled and published, as early this year as possible, that the councils and the citizens may have a full knowledge of the laws of the city.

#### WATER WORKS, SEWERS AND DRAINS.

The water works, sewers and drains have received the usual good care the past year and the commissioners report that they are in a generally satisfactory condition. They indicate that one of several plans may soon be adopted to utilize the stand pipe at the Octagon reservoir.

If the councils decide to adopt plans for the proposed West Keene sewer it should be done early in the year in order to give the department every advantage that favorable weather and other conditions may afford.

This department turns over to the treasury a substantial amount towards the expenses of the city.

#### STREET LIGHTS.

The street lighting contract entered into by the councils and the Citizen's Electric Company on May 1, 1905, has been in operation since August 18, last. The reduced cost of lamps has enabled the committee to install several additional lights at about the same expense as heretofore charged. The arc lights now number 65, the incandescent



lights 170, the locations of which may be found on pages from 120 to 127 of the printed report. The lights are giving good satisfaction and the re-location of lamps in and about the Square and other places is a decided improvement in the diffusion of light.

#### BOARD OF HEALTH.

The board of health has had a busy year in its attempts to regulate matters pertaining to its work. Five hundred and fifty-seven cases of measles, with only two deaths, twelve cases of scarlet fever, with no deaths, five cases of diphtheria, with one death resulting therefrom; rigid quarantine measures; disinfection of houses and public buildings; assistance to persons detained at home; investigations of food supplies; sanitation of houses and premises; and the prohibition of the dumping of rubbish in public places, have claimed their attention with marked success.

The collection of garbage weekly by the highway department, and the services of the city physician among the poor, bear on the administration of this department, and they are all working in a commendable manner.

#### SCHOOLS.

The public schools of the city are managed by a separate corporation, Union school district, under the direct supervision of a board of education of nine members. The city is liberal in its appropriation for school books and supplies. The total number of scholars of school age, as reported by the superintendent, is 1842, a gain of 63 over last year. The cost of supplies is therefore a little less than \$2.00 per pupil. The school district publishes a report in March of each year.

## ELLIOT CITY HOSPITAL.

The management of the hospital is vested in a separate corporation which the city is enabled by law to assist in its good work. The appropriation for the hospital should be as liberal as good business judgment will indicate.

In conclusion, allow me to point out that it should be our aim to treat all measures which come before us officially, all delegations or individual citizens, with due courtesy and impartiality, with the single motive to best serve our public interests.

CITY GOVERNMENT.

KEENE, N. H.

1906.

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MAYOR.

MARTIN V. B. CLARK.

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CITY CLERK.

Frank H. Whitcomb.

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ALDERMEN.

Ward 1.—Henry W. Lane.  
Ward 2.—Charles W. Morse.  
Ward 3.—Burtis L. Parkman.  
Ward 4.—Arthur L. Wright.  
Ward 5.—Patrick G. Taafe.

## COUNCILMEN.

- Ward 1.—Calvin W. Farwell.  
Harry A. Pierce.  
Ferdinand D. Rodenbush.
- Ward 2.—Clinton J. Smith.  
Fred F. Page.  
Clarence W. Emerson.
- Ward 3.—Charles H. Mason, *President*.  
James G. Harvey.  
Aretus F. Gardner.
- Ward 4.—Worthen D. Whittaker.  
George D. Gillis.  
Robert W. Bundy.
- Ward 5.—Luke S. Ollis.  
John H. Shea.  
Charles A. Madden.  
*Clerk*, Herbert O. Wardwell.
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The City Councils meet on the first and third Thursdays of each month, at 7:30 o'clock p. m.

The City Auditor sits every Saturday from 2 to 5 and 7 to 9 o'clock p. m., to examine and allow claims.

The Mayor will be at his office, No. 3 City Hall, every Saturday, from 2 to 5 and 7 to 9 o'clock p. m.

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## JOINT STANDING COMMITTEES.

*Finance*.—The Mayor, Alderman Wright, Councilmen Page and Rodenbush.

*Schools*.—Alderman Wright, Councilmen Rodenbush and Madden.

*Lands and Buildings*.—Alderman Parkman, Councilmen Smith and Shea.

*Bridges.*—Alderman Taafe, Councilmen Emerson and Ollis.

*Streets.*—Alderman Morse, Councilmen Gillis and Whitaker.

*Burying Grounds.*—Alderman Lane, Councilmen Smith and Ollis.

*Fire Department.*—Alderman Parkman, Councilmen Bundy and Shea.

*Street Lights.*—Alderman Morse, Councilmen Whittaker and Gardner.

*Water Works, Sewers and Drains.*—Alderman Lane, Councilmen Farwell and Pierce.

*Printing.*—Alderman Morse, Councilmen Harvey and Madden.

*Engrossed Bills.*—Alderman Taafe, Councilmen Bundy and Harvey.

*Public Parks.*—Alderman Lane, Councilmen Pierce and Gardner.

*Public Library.*—Alderman Wright, Councilmen Emerson and Gillis.

*Police.*—Alderman Wright, Councilmen Emerson and Farwell.

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## STANDING COMMITTEES.

### BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

*Bills on Second Reading.*—Aldermen Wright, Lane and Taafe.

*Licenses.*—Aldermen Lane, Parkman and Wright.

*Claims.*—Full Board.

### COMMON COUNCIL.

*City Hall.*—The Mayor, Councilman Page and City Messenger Green.

*Election and Returns.*—Councilmen Harvey, Ollis and Bundy.

*Bills on Second Reading.*—Councilmen Farwell, Gardner and Shea.

CITY OFFICERS.

CITY AUDITOR.

Charles H. Hersey.

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CITY SOLICITOR.

John E. Allen.

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CITY TREASURER.

Walter R. Porter.

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COLLECTOR.

Ainsworth M. Nims.

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CITY MESSENGER.

Albert W. Green.

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POLICE COMMISSIONERS.

Frederick A. Faulkner, *Chairman*.

Herbert B. Viall, *Clerk*.

George H. Follansbee.

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CITY MARSHAL.

Benjamin G. Hall.



## CITY OF KEENE.

## CONSTABLES.

Benjamin G. Hall.  
William H. Philbrick.

Harry F. Buckminster.  
Charles S. Wright.

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## POLICE JUSTICE.

Lewis W. Holmes.

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## CITY PHYSICIAN.

Charles S. Walker.

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## SEXTON.

Walter E. Mason.

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## OVERSEER OF POOR.

Edward H. Fletcher.

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## SUPERINTENDENT OF CEMETERIES.

Walter E. Mason.

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## SUPERINTENDENT OF HIGHWAYS.

Arthur A. Wallace.

## WATER COMMISSIONERS.

Norris G. Gurnsey.

Geo. W. Fisher.

Charles M. Norwood.

## SUPERINTENDENT OF WATER WORKS, SEWERS AND DRAINS.

Paul F. Babbidge.

Assistant, John A. Denison.

## PARK COMMISSIONERS.

George A. Wheelock.\*

James S. Taft.†

## LIBRARIAN.

Maud E. Bloomingdale.

## ASSISTANT LIBRARIAN.

Maude H. Sherman.

## TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Frederick H. Kingsbury.

William P. Chamberlain.

Horatio Colony.

Mrs. Maria R. Osborne.

Herbert K. Faulkner.

Charles H. Hersey.

Mrs. Wm. H. Elliot.

Miss Kate L. Tilden.

Mrs. Wm. H. Prentiss.

Thaddeus W. Harris.

Miss Florence M. Spalter.

Miss Mary B. Dinsmoor.

\* Died June 17, 1906.

† Elected June 21, 1906, duly sworn June 23, 1906.

## CITY OF KEENE.

## BOARD OF HEALTH.

Frank D. Worcester.

Leonard Wellington.

Charles G. Shedd.



## INSPECTOR OF PLUMBING.

Paul F. Babbidge.



## BOARD OF EXAMINERS.

Herbert K. Faulkner.

Leonard Wellington.

David W. Mitchell.



## ASSESSORS.

Daniel R. Cole.

Henry W. Nims.

Frank K. Jewett.



## SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

Frank H. Whitcomb.



## CHIEF ENGINEER.

Louis A. Nims.



## ASSISTANT ENGINEERS.

Fred W. Towne.

Edward P. Carrigan.

Dennis J. Foley.

## SUPERINTENDENT OF FIRE ALARM.

Albert W. Green.

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## POLICE OFFICERS.

William H. Philbrick.	George D. Gillis.
Harry F. Buckminster.	Albert W. Green.
Charles S. Wright.	Fred W. Gunn.
Leon V. Aldrich.	Frank X. Harmon.
Irving E. Allen.	Wyman Lawrence.
Colbert Auger.	Garrett J. Landers.
Fred H. Blanchard.	Fred H. Locke.
Fred A. Bowen.	Peter G. Marrion.
Charles A. Chapin.	Charles H. Mason.
Nelson A. Crosier.	Elmer A. Nims.
William Cotter.	Henry W. Nims.
James B. Duffy.	Burtis L. Parkman.
Hamlin J. Dunn.	William H. Reyoum.
Sidney C. Ellis.	Charles W. Scripture.
Joseph F. Emmons.	George H. Staples.
Walter C. Fassett.	William S. Tuttle.
Levi M. Fay.	William J. Wheelock.
George E. Forbes.	James E. Wood.
Lawrence Gilbo.	Carl Swanstrom.
	Fred S. Morse.

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## RAILROAD POLICE.

Amos A. Bartholomew.	Harry B. Muchmore.
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## SURVEYORS OF WOOD.

Cadmon D. Robertson.	Manley W. Jones.
Mortimer Riordon.	William J. Sewall.

James H. Smith.	Fred S. Barker.
Franklin H. Fay.	John F. Green.
John W. Nye.	Adolphus M. Ross.
Joseph Chase.	Joseph F. Emmons.
Herbert R. Raymond.	Sanford G. Wilcox.
Clinton J. Smith.	Edmund H. Pitcher.
William H. Reyoun.	Samuel S. Quinn.
Jarib S. Herrick.	Charles H. Briggs.
George E. Forbes.	James F. Cady.
Freeman A. White.	Leston M. Barrett.
Henry L. Barrett.	Don C. Quinn.
Frank E. Chase.	

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## SURVEYORS OF LUMBER.

George E. Forbes.	Manley W. Jones.
John W. Nye.	Frank W. Smith.
Henry N. Stone.	Fred S. Barker.
Franklin H. Fay.	John F. Green.
James H. Smith.	Charles H. Mason.
Joseph Chase.	Clinton J. Smith.
Herbert R. Raymond.	Edwin E. Chase.
Adolphus M. Ross.	William H. Reyoun.
Milan H. Johnson.	Sanford G. Wilcox.
Samuel S. Quinn.	Charles H. Briggs.
Freeman A. White.	James F. Cady.
Oscar B. Blake.	Leston M. Barrett.
Jarib S. Herrick.	Don C. Quinn.
Henry L. Barrett.	Elmer A. Nims.

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## WEIGHERS.

Herbert A. Woodward.	George H. Giffin.
Norris G. Gurnsey.	Edward H. Newell.
Everett N. Colby.	Fred T. Pearson.
Burtis L. Parkman.	Wells R. Sargent.

## FENCE VIEWERS.

Daniel R. Cole.

Frank K. Jewett.

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WARD OFFICERS.

## MODERATORS.

- Ward 1.—Charles G. Shedd.  
Ward 2.—Franklin H. Fay.  
Ward 3.—George F. Stone.  
Ward 4.—Fred E. Howe.  
Ward 5.—Frank J. O'Connor.

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CLERKS.

- Ward 1.—Ainsworth M. Nims.  
Ward 2.—Albert W. Spaulding.  
Ward 3.—Hiram F. Newell.  
Ward 4.—Edson G. Whitcomb.  
Ward 5.—Robert J. Patten.

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SELECTMEN.

- Ward 1.—William J. Callahan.  
George M. Reed  
Frank T. Vaughan.\*  
Luther B. Randall.†  
Ward 2.—Wilbur B. Knight.  
Bertram A. Powers.  
Guy V. Norwood.  
Ward 3.—Frank B. Sawyer.  
Linn E. Drummer.  
George F. Kingsbury.

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\* Removed from ward.

† Appointed Sept. 17, 1906, duly sworn Sept. 18, 1906.



- Ward 4.—Frank H. Weeks.  
Don C. Quinn.\*  
Daniel E. Hathorn.†  
Leston M. Barrett.
- Ward 5.—Albert H. Hamblett.‡  
Thomas R. Pickett.  
Arthur A. Laurent.  
James J. Higgins.§
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## SUPERVISORS.

- Ward 1.—James H. Goodhue.  
Ward 2.—Henry W. Nims.  
Ward 3.—Albert W. Green.  
Ward 4.—Jedediah C. Estabrook.  
Ward 5.—Edward P. Dee.
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## BALLOT INSPECTORS.

- Ward 1.—Herbert A. Davis.  
Joseph Beals.  
William J. Foley.  
James F. Kelley.
- Ward 2.—Frederick M. Hamilton.  
Liberty W. Foskett.  
William W. Sturtevant.  
Oscar A. Knight.
- Ward 3.—William C. Hall.  
Wilton H. Spalter.  
William T. Winn.  
Robert F. Carroll.

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\*Resigned.

†Appointed by selectmen. Duly sworn April 14, 1906.

‡Died April 20, 1906.

§Appointed Aug. 30, 1906, duly sworn Sept. 17, 1906.

Ward 4.—Byron E. Robertson.

George A. Keith.

Edward Carr.

George T. Colony.

Ward 5.—Charles P. Pitcher.

George F. T. Trask.

John H. Kennedy.

Daniel E. Gorman.

## AREA OF KEENE PUBLIC PARKS, CITY LANDS AND CEMETERIES.

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Ward 1,	2,810 acres.
Ward 2,	5,275 "
Ward 3,	2,310 "
Ward 4,	8,780 "
Ward 5,	4,510 "
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Total area of Keene, 37 sq. miles,	23,685 acres.

### PARKS AND CITY LANDS.

Wheelock Park, original gift, ward 4,	23.97 acres.
Wheelock Park, addition, ward 4,	15.35 "
Ladies' Wildwood Park, ward 4,	12.25 "
Robin Hood Forest, ward 2,	81. "
City Park, ward 2,	6.13 "
Reservoir Lot, ward 2,	10.50 "
Children's Wood, ward 2,	12. "
Coolidge Park, ward 2,	1.69 "
Minister Lot, ward 2,	55.50 "
Central Park, ward 3,	.40 "
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Total parks,	218.79 acres.
City pasture, ward 1,	68.70 acres.
Sylvan Lake Lot, ward 3,	73.97 "
Stone Crusher Lot, ward 2,	14.37 "
Fairfield Land, estimated, ward 1,	18. "
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Total city lands,	175.04 acres.

## CEMETERIES.

Woodland, East, ward 2,	26.10 acres.
Woodland, West, ward 2,	12.25 "
Greenlawn, ward 2,	8. "
Washington, ward 2,	1.68 "
North, ward 4, estimated,	.75 "
West Keene, ward 5,	2.63 "
West Hill, ward 4, estimated,	.25 "
Ash Swamp, ward 5, estimated,	.10 "
Catholic, East of Main street, ward 1,	6.29 "
Catholic, West of Main street, ward 5,	12.85 "
Total cemeteries,	<u>70.90 acres.</u>

## LENGTH AND WIDTH.

Greatest length of Keene, east and west,	8.163 miles.
Greatest width of Keene, north and south,	6.562 "

## AREA OF KEENE, N. H., BY WARDS, WITH AREA OF PARKS AND CEMETERIES.

Ward.	Total Area.	Parks.	Cemeteries.	Acreage Remaining.
1,	2,810 acres.		6 acres.	2,804
2,	5,275 "	167 acres.	48 "	5,060
3,	2,310 "	.40 "		2,309.6
4,	8,780 "	52	1	8,727
5,	4,510		16 "	4,494
	<u>23,685 acres.</u>	<u>219.40 acres.</u>	<u>71 acres.</u>	<u>23,394.6</u>

# RELATIVE AREA OF LAND AND WATER IN THE CITY OF KEENE.

Ward.	Land.	Water.	Total.
1,	2,773 acres.	37 acres.	2,810 acres.
2,	5,208 "	67 "	5,275 "
3,	2,255 "	55 "	2,310 "
4,	8,693 "	87 "	8,780 "
5,	4,471 "	39 "	4,510 "
<hr/> Total, 23,400 acres.		<hr/> 285 acres.	<hr/> 23,685 acres.

## POPULATION.

	Population.	Population per acre.
Ward 1,	2,488 (1900)	.859
Ward 2,	1,896	.374
Ward 3,	1,926	.833
Ward 4,	1,384	.157
Ward 5,	1,471	.327
<hr/> Total,		<hr/> .392
1906 (estimated) 10,000		

## APPROXIMATE AREA OF LAND OF THE CITY OF KEENE IN ROXBURY.

Land around Echo lake, including water,	862 acres.
Cota farm,	160 "
Buckminster lot,	60 "
Munsell lot,	30 "
Sipson lot,	1 "
French land,	11 "
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Total,	1,124 acres.
Area of Echo lake,	108 acres.
Area of Goose pond and lot,	74 "
Area of Goose pond and islands,	52½ "

DISTRIBUTION OF THE POPULATION OF KEENE  
(CITY PROPER) AS INDICATED BY DWELL-  
INGS, ACCORDING TO THE MAP  
OF KEENE, 1903.

(Each tenement that has a separate number is counted as one dwelling).

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In the northeast quarter, north of Roxbury street and east of the center of Main street, produced north- erly,	553
Northwest quarter,	450
Southeast quarter,	487
Southwest quarter,	256
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Total number,	1,746

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North of the center line of West and Roxbury streets,	1,003
South of the same,	743

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East of the center line of Main street, produced as above,	1,040
West of the same,	706

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Ward 1, to limits of the map,	487
Ward 2, to limits of the map,	395
Ward 3, to limits of the map,	419
Ward 4, to limits of the map,	189
Ward 5, to limits of the map,	256
North of a line running east and west from Main street railroad crossing,	1,175
South of the same line,	571

The center of population as indicated above is directly north of the Dinsmoor house, No. 45 Washington street, and near the south line of Spring street.



# ALTITUDES, KEENE AND ROXBURY. ABOVE SEA LEVEL.

## ON LINE OF WATER WORKS.

Echo lake,	1,321 feet.
Upper dam, Roaring brook,	991 "
Lower dam,	738 "
Beech hill, over pipe,	866 "
Sylvan lake,	640 "
Octagon reservoir,	640 "
Beech hill reservoir,	597 "
Railroad crossing, Main street,	481 "

## HIGH LANDS IN ROXBURY.

Bassett hill,	1,639 feet.
Banks hill,	1,561 "
Parker hill,	1,630 "
Horse hill,	1,530 "
Bald hill,	1,581 "

## HIGH LANDS AROUND KEENE.

Beech hill, at Horatian tower,	1,059 feet.
Beech hill, north part,	1,060 "
Floor of Horatian tower,	1,084 "
West hill, north peak,	1,168 "
West hill, south peak,	1,366 "
Stearns hill,	1,310 "
Hyland hill, in Westmoreland, near town line,	1,525 "
Gray's hill,	1,385 "
In north woods,	1,251 "
Surry mountain, near town line,	1,000 "
Surry summit, railroad,	830 "

## LENGTH OF PAVEMENTS IN THE CITY OF KEENE.

Granite block,	867 feet.	.16 miles.
Macadam,	22,840 "	4.33 "
Total pavement,	23,707 feet.	4.49 miles.
Length of concrete sidewalks,	44,615 feet.	8.45 miles.

## LENGTHS OF ROADS IN KEENE.

Including the roads in use at the present time, as well as the old main roads that are but little used, but not discontinued.

Total length of roads, 19,439 rods, or 60.75 miles.

Total length of streets, 38.32 miles.

Total length of highways, 99.07 miles.

For a brief history of the highways of Keene and a table of the lengths of the streets and roads, see Thirty-first Annual Report, pages 36 to 87.

## A LIST OF THE BRIDGES IN KEENE.

Including the location and kind of all bridges with a span of about five feet and upwards.

	Iron.	Stone.	Wood.	Total.
Ashuelot river.....	2	1	2	5
The Branch, including North and East..	1	1	5	7
Canals at South Keene.....			3	3
Ferry brook.....			3	3
Beaver brook, including cemetery.....	5		13	18
Beaver brook, old canal Sullivan road..			1	1
Wilder road and brook.....			4	4
Ash swamp brook, including meadow roads.....			4	4
White brook.....			3	3
Black brook.....	1		3	4
Chesterfield road.....			2	2
Sturtevant brook.....			1	1
Goose Pond brook.....			2	2
Dickinson brook.....			1	1
Marlboro road.....			1	1
Concord road.....	1			1
Winchester street, in addition to White brook.....			3	3

	Iron.	Stone.	Wood.	Total.
Pearl street.....			1	1
Pitcher street and meadow roads.....			3	3
Eli Dort road.....			1	1
Daniels Hill road.....			1	1
Summit road.....			1	1
Wyman road.....			1	1
Court street.....			1	1
Elm street.....			1	1
Baker street.....			1	1
Branch road.....			1	1
Eveleth road.....			1	1
Total,	10	2	64	76

Of the bridges over the Branch, three cross the town line between Keene and Roxbury. Of these, the lower one is maintained by the town of Roxbury, the middle one by the city of Keene, and the upper by Keene and Roxbury jointly.

The lower bridge over the canal, or tail race, in South Keene is maintained by D. R. & F. A. Cole.

#### TOWN LINE PERAMBULATIONS, 1906 AND EACH SEVEN YEARS THEREAFTER.

Number of stone posts on the main roads,	21
Number of monuments, consisting of a stake with stones around it, that have to be found, renewed and marked,	126

## ORDINANCES AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCILS IN 1905-06.

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### CITY OF KEENE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED  
AND FIVE.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to a fire alarm box at  
Fowler's box factory on Island street.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as  
follows:

That the joint standing committee on fire department  
procure and install a fire alarm box at or near the fac-  
tory of Herschel J. Fowler, on Island street.

Passed December 21, 1905.

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### CITY OF KEENE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED  
AND SIX.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to regular meetings.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as  
follows:

That the city councils meet on the first and third  
Thursdays of each month, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., for gen-  
eral business.

Passed January 2, 1906.

Extract from the last will and testament of Harvey Phillips.

Third:—I wish to leave to the city of Keene, N. H., in trust to keep my lot in Woodland cemetery, in repair, one hundred dollars.

Should the city of Keene, N. H., accept the above bequest, the undersigned executor of the will of Harvey Phillips is now ready to pay over the sum above named.

Keene, N. H., Dec. 27, 1905.

JOHN P. GAY,

Executor of the Will of Harvey Phillips.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the Harvey Phillips cemetery fund.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the city of Keene hereby accepts the sum of one hundred dollars, the income thereof to be used in caring for the Harvey Phillips lot in Woodland cemetery. The city clerk is hereby authorized to receipt for said sum and deposit the same in the city treasury, in accordance with the provisions of Section 6, Chapter VI, City Ordinances.

Passed January 4, 1906.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to certain trust funds.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the sum of eight hundred and ten dollars and thirteen cents be deposited to the credit of the water loan sinking fund, and the sum of two hundred ten dollars and eighty-six cents be deposited to the credit of the Minister fund in the Cheshire County Savings Bank, and that the several sums named, as follows, viz: \$5.08, A. Jones fund; \$5.07, Keyes fund; \$15.22, Fletcher fund; \$15.00, Packard fund; be deposited in the city treasury, in accordance with the provisions of the city ordinances, all said sums being dividends paid by the Keene Five Cents Savings Bank.

Passed January 4, 1906.



AN ORDINANCE defining the use of the city's horses and duties of drivers.

Be it ordained by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That Chapter VIII of the City Ordinances be amended by adding the following section.

SECTION 8. The chief engineer shall have control of the horses and drivers at fires and until they are dismissed, and may require their services whenever he may consider it necessary for drill or parade; the drivers shall also perform such services as the chief engineer may assign to them while they are on fire patrol duty at the fire station.

Passed January 18, 1906.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to annual appropriations.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That in accordance with the recommendation of the joint standing committee on finance, the following named sums be and hereby are appropriated:

Ordinary city charges,	\$7,500 00
City paupers,	2,000 00
Highways and bridges,	10,000 00
Repairs or construction of new macadam,	2,000 00
Fire department,	5,750 00
Police department,	4,000 00
Street lights,	9,000 00
Public library, books,	500 00
Public library, expense, .	2,000 00
Memorial services,	200 00
Interest on sewer bonds,	2,200 00
Interest on water bonds, loan of 1887,	1,295 00
Interest on water bonds, loan of 1891,	1,800 00
Interest on water bonds, loan of 1902,	875 00
Payment of sewer bonds,	15,000 00
Public parks,	200 00



H. O. Coolidge annuity,	\$800 00
School books and supplies,	3,500 00
Elliot city hospital,	500 00
Interest on Thayer and Chapin fund,	175 00
Cemetery department,	300 00
Board of education,	240 00
Sewer department,	1,000 00
Drain department,	1,000 00
Interest on cemetery funds,	305 70
West Keene sewer construction,	3,000 00
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And that the sum of fifty-two thousand dollars be raised by taxation, and the balance be paid from any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Passed January 18, 1906.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to a fire alarm box on Pearl street.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the joint standing committee on fire department procure and install a fire alarm box on Pearl street, near the railroad crossing.

Passed January 18, 1906.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the compilation of the ordinances and resolutions.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That a committee, to comprise the mayor and one alderman, two councilmen, the city clerk and city solicitor, be appointed, to revise and compile the existing ordinances and resolutions of the city, and report at a subsequent meeting.

Passed February 1, 1906.

January 31, 1906.

*To the Mayor and City Councils of the City of Keene:*

Gentlemen:—As executor of the will of Ann C. Nims, late of Keene, deceased, I enclose herewith my check to the order of said city for the sum of one hundred dollars, the amount of a legacy given by her for the care and preservation of her lot in Woodland cemetery in Keene, under the following clause of her will.

“I give and bequeath to the city of Keene, in trust, the sum of one hundred (\$100) dollars, to hold, manage and invest the same, and expend the income thereof for the care and preservation of my lot in Woodland cemetery in said city.”

I trust your honorable bodies will see fit to accept the same in accordance with the policy heretofore adopted by the city.

Respectfully yours,

O. E. CAIN.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the Ann C. Nims cemetery fund.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the city of Keene by its councils hereby accepts the sum of one hundred dollars from the estate of Ann C. Nims, the income thereof to be expended for the care of her cemetery lot in Woodland cemetery, and the city clerk is hereby authorized to receipt for said sum and deposit the same in the city treasury, in accordance with the provisions of Section 6, Chapter VI, City Ordinances.

Passed February 1, 1906.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION amending joint rules of order.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That Section 11 of the joint rules of order be amended by adding to said section the words “on police.”

Passed February 15, 1906.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to indexing Keene cemeteries.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the sum of two hundred dollars be and hereby is appropriated from any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the purpose of completing the plans and indexes of the Keene cemeteries, under the direction of the joint standing committee.

Passed February 15, 1906.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to sewers for West Keene.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That a public sewer, built according to the Waring system, be constructed in West Keene, substantially on the line as laid out on a plan on file with the city clerk and marked "Plan of Sewers for West Keene, 1906," under the direction and supervision of the joint standing committee on water works, sewers and drains, and that a sum over and above the sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) already appropriated for that purpose, sufficient to finish said work, not to exceed the sum of seven thousand dollars (\$7,000), be and hereby is appropriated from any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, and that such portion of the sewer system (per plan submitted by the committee) be built this year, as is possible for ten thousand dollars (\$10,000).

Passed February 15, 1906.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to printing proofs of revision of ordinances and resolutions.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the special committee appointed to revise and compile existing ordinances and resolutions, be authorized to procure printed proofs of their work for the inspection of the councils.

Passed March 1, 1906.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the Tryphena R. Gustine cemetery fund.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the city of Keene, by its councils, hereby accepts the sum of two hundred dollars from the estate of Tryphena R. Gustine, in trust, the income thereof only to be used in the care of the Thomas and Matthews lot, No. 22, in Section No. 3, Woodland cemetery, said sum to be deposited in the city treasury in accordance with the provisions of Section 6, Chapter VI, City Ordinances.

Passed March 1, 1906.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to city printing.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the joint standing committee on printing shall call for bids upon the printing for the city or any of its departments and shall award the work of said printing to the lowest responsible bidder, and said committee may call for bids upon all the city printing as one contract or upon as many separate contracts as it sees fit, but all said city printing shall be contracted by bids and to the lowest bidder, and that the special committee appointed to secure proofs of the revised city ordinances shall pursue the same course.

Passed March 1, 1906.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the purchase of coats and boots for the use of the fire department.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the joint standing committee on fire department purchase eighteen rubber coats and twelve pairs of rubber boots for the use of the fire department, and that the sum of one hundred dollars be and hereby is appropriated for that purpose, from any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Passed March 15, 1906.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to ordinances, joint and other rules of order and lists of city officers.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That there be printed as soon as may be, under the supervision of the joint standing committee on printing, a sufficient number of copies of the ordinances, joint and other rules of order and lists of city officers from the beginning, and also that a suitable number be bound in leather for the use of the city councils and for exchange.

Passed March 15, 1906.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the second regular meeting in April.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That, whereas, the date fixed for the second regular meeting in April next falls upon Fast Day, therefore resolved,

That the resolution passed on the second day of January last, relating to regular meetings, be so far amended



as to allow the councils to hold the second regular meeting in April next, on Friday, April 20, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., for general business.

Passed March 30, 1906.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to exemption from taxation.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

Whereas the Monadnock Hosiery Company proposes to establish its business in this city and for that purpose to take a lease of land and buildings to be provided and and built by certain citizens of Keene,

Now, therefore, be it resolved, that the lands and buildings so leased by said corporation shall be exempt from taxation for such part of the term of ten years, as the same shall be actually occupied and used by said corporation in the prosecution of its business not to exceed the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars.

Passed March 30, 1906.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to exemption from taxation.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

Whereas the Monadnock Hosiery Company proposes to establish its business of the manufacture of hose and similar goods in Keene;

Resolved, That the stock in trade, machinery and capital of said corporation used in carrying its business be, and hereby is, exempted from taxation for such part of the term of ten years from this date as the business of said company in the above named manufacture shall be actually maintained and carried on in Keene, not to exceed fifty thousand dollars.

Passed March 30, 1906.



March 29, 1906.

Frank H. Whitcomb, Esq., City Clerk, Keene, N. H.

My Dear Sir:—The will of the late Gordis D. Harris makes to the city of Keene the following bequest:

“I give and bequeath to the city of Keene, the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200) to be held in trust by said city and the income thereof only to be expended in keeping in good condition and repair my burial lot in Woodland cemetery.”

I have this amount in my hands and on your advice that it will be accepted by the city, I will make such disposition of the funds as you may direct. It is particularly desired that so much of the funds as may be necessary shall be appropriated to the filling of the vase each year with flowers as a part of the keeping of the lot in good repair.

Respectfully yours,

R. H. PORTER,  
Executor of the Will of Gordis D. Harris.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the Gordis D. Harris cemetery fund:

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the city of Keene by its councils hereby accepts the sum of two hundred dollars, bequeathed by the late Gordis D. Harris, the income to be used in accordance with the provisions of said bequest, and the city clerk is hereby authorized to receipt for the same and deposit said sum in the city treasury in accordance with the provisions of Section 6, Chapter VI, City Ordinances.

Passed April 5, 1906.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to exemption from taxation.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

Whereas the G. A. Gane Shirt Company proposes to establish a branch of its business of making shirts in Keene, which will make a new industry and furnish employment to a large number of persons;

Resolved, That the stock in trade and the capital used in carrying on the business of said company in Keene be exempt from taxation for such part of the term of ten (10) years from this date, as the business of said company of making shirts shall be actually maintained and carried on in Keene, not to exceed one hundred thousand dollars.

Passed April 5, 1906.

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*To the City Councils of the City of Keene:*

As counsel for Charles L. Reed, Eva M. Reed, Lorin F. Taft, Abbie T. Clark, Maud E. Taft, Warren S. Taft and James D. Tyler, nieces and nephews of the late Jonathan G. Tyler, late of Keene, deceased, we beg to enclose herewith check for one hundred dollars (\$100), endorsed to the city of Keene, and beg your honorable body to accept the same, on the condition that the city will hold the fund in trust and use the income thereof for the perpetual care and maintenance of lot No. 334 in Greenlawn cemetery in said Keene, which lot stands in the names of Ephraim F. Taft and Jonathan G. Tyler.

Yours respectfully,

CAIN & BENTON.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the Taft and Tyler cemetery fund.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the city of Keene by its councils hereby accepts the sum of one hundred dollars from the nieces and nephews of the late Jonathan G. Tyler, for the perpetual care of lot No. 334 in Greenlawn cemetery, which lot stands in the name of Ephraim F. Taft and Jonathan Tyler, and the

city clerk is hereby authorized to deposit said sum in the city treasury in accordance with the provisions of Section 6, Chapter VI, City Ordinances.

Passed April 5, 1906.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to street sprinkling.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the joint standing committee on streets be and hereby is authorized and instructed to cause to be watered, during the current year, such public streets and places as they, in their discretion, may deem judicious.

That the superintendent of streets be and hereby is instructed to furnish the said committee with three pairs of the city's horses and drivers therefor, for the purposes aforesaid; but said horses shall always be at the absolute disposal of the proper authorities whenever required for the use of the fire department.

That the board of mayor and aldermen be and hereby is authorized and instructed to assess upon each estate abutting upon the streets and places so watered in 1905, the sum of two dollars to cover the cost of such watering, and to certify the amount of such assessments upon each estate so assessed to the collector of taxes, who shall include the same in the next tax bill issued for the annual tax on each of said estates, unless the same shall have been previously paid.

That such assessments shall be paid to the collector of taxes, and shall be due and payable on June first, next.

That the streets so designated, and no others, shall be watered during the present year; provided, however, that said committee may cause to be watered other streets, or parts of streets, in their discretion, whenever two-thirds of the abutters upon any given street or part of a street, shall so request in writing.

That in case the street watering service be extended as aforesaid, the committee aforesaid shall at once report the same to the board of mayor and aldermen, who shall proceed to assess the estates of all abutters upon such streets, or parts of streets, as hereinbefore provided, and certify the same to the collector of taxes, who shall collect the same in accordance with the provisions of this resolution hereinbefore contained.

Passed April 5, 1906.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to horses.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the mayor and committee on fire department dispose of the pair of city horses, used by Driver Fay, as they deem best and purchase one pair of horses in place of the pair so disposed of; and the sum of three hundred and forty-five dollars is hereby appropriated for the purposes aforesaid, from any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Passed April 5, 1906.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the use of city hall.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the standing committee on city hall be and it is hereby authorized and instructed to grant the use of the city hall to the Keene Chorus Club, from May 21 to May 25, inclusive, for the sum of \$60 with heat and for the sum of \$50 without heat, no extra charge to be made for stage help.

Passed April 20, 1906.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to free public band concerts.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows;

That the sum of three hundred dollars be and hereby is appropriated for free public band concerts to be given by the Keene Military Band Aid Association.

Passed April 20, 1906.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to steel bridges for Water and Spring streets.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the sum of sixteen hundred dollars or so much of said sum as may be necessary, be and hereby is appropriated for the purchase and erection of steel bridges for Water and Spring streets, and that the joint standing committee be and hereby is authorized to secure bids for the bridges above named.

Passed April 20, 1906.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION in reference to rental of city hall by Keene Humane Society.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That, whereas the Keene Humane Society rented city hall on the nights of April 17, 18 and 19, 1906, for the production of an amateur performance, and a bill has been presented to them for three nights production, when in fact, one was for rehearsal only;

Be it resolved that said society be charged for two performances and one rehearsal in accordance with the published schedule of rates, and that the city messenger be directed to make a bill to said society in accordance with this resolution.

Passed May 3, 1906.



A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the use of city hall.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the standing committee on city hall be and hereby is authorized to grant to John Sedgwick Post, G. A. R., the free use of city hall on the thirtieth day of May, 1906.

Passed May 3, 1906.

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*To the City of Keene, N. H.:*

The inclosed check of three hundred dollars (\$300) to the order of the city of Keene, I would like the city to accept, and the income from the same used in equal amounts in caring for the three below mentioned lots in Woodland cemetery.

Respectfully,

LEMUEL HAYWARD.

April 25, 1906.

Charles G. Adams lot No. 31, Section 10, Mrs. Richard S. Perkins lot No. 32, Section 10, Lemuel Hayward lot No. 33, Section 10.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the Adams, Perkins and Hayward fund.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the city of Keene by its councils hereby accepts the sum of three hundred dollars, the income thereof to be used in equal amounts in caring for the Charles G. Adams lot, the Richard S. Perkins lot and the Lemuel Hayward lot, numbered 31, 32 and 33, respectively, situate in Section No. 10, Woodland cemetery, and the city clerk is hereby authorized to receipt for the same and deposit said fund in the city treasury, in accordance with the provisions of Section 6, Chapter VI, City Ordinances.

Passed May 3, 1906.



*City Treasurer, Keene, N. H.*

Dear Sir:—Under the terms of the will of the late Bial W. Willard of Watertown, Mass., formerly of Keene, N. H., a legacy of \$200 was left to the city of Keene “to be placed at interest in some savings bank, or in some proper investment, and the income thereof to be used annually for the care of the cemetery lots known as the “Henry Willard” and “William R. Marsh” lots in Greenlawn cemetery in said Keene.”

Will you kindly place this matter before the proper officials and have me advised as to whether the city are prepared to receive this legacy upon the terms and conditions mentioned in Miss Willard's will.

I shall be prepared to pay this legacy very shortly.

Yours very truly,

LEON M. ABBOTT.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the Bial W. Willard cemetery fund.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the city of Keene by its councils hereby accepts the sum of two hundred dollars, the income thereof to be used annually for the care of the cemetery lots known as the Henry Willard and William R. Marsh lots in Greenlawn cemetery, and the city clerk is hereby authorized to receipt for said sum and deposit the fund in the city treasury in accordance with the provisions of Section 6, Chapter VI, City Ordinances.

Passed May 3, 1906.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to a discount on taxes.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the tax collector be and he hereby is authorized and instructed to allow a discount of two per centum on all taxes assessed the present year which shall be paid on or before August 1, 1906.

Passed May 17, 1906.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to prices for the use of city hall.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the schedule of prices herewith presented, as compiled by the standing committee on city hall, and dated May 3, 1906, be and hereby is adopted.

Transient entertainments,	\$33 00
Transient entertainments, under local management,	25 00
Local entertainment, under local management,	20 00
Dance till 11.30 p. m.,	23 00
Dance per hour after 11.30 o'clock,	2 00
Concert or lecture, local management,	20 00
Matinee, transient,	25 00
Matinee, transient, but under local management,	20 00
Matinee, local entertainment, under local management,	15 00
For decorating or rehearsal, evening,	4 00
For decorating or rehearsal, day,	2 50

Assistants to be appointed by the city messenger with the approval of the committee.

Stand of three days, ten per cent discount and one matinee free.

Stand of six days, fifteen per cent discount and two matinees free.

Extra work performed, 20c per hour.

Passed May 17, 1906.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to a sign in the highway.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That Norris G. Gurnsey is hereby granted permission to erect a sign in the highway, on the north side of Railroad street, under the direction of the joint standing committee on streets.

Passed May 17, 1906.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to concrete sidewalks.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the sum of sixteen hundred and twenty-five dollars be and hereby is appropriated from any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the construction of concrete and the necessary repairs upon concrete sidewalks, under the direction of the joint standing committee on streets and Engineer Wadsworth.

Passed May 17, 1906.

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*To the City Councils:*

Gentlemen:—The joint standing committee on street lights, to whom was referred the petitions of O. L. Mason and others for three electric lights on Eastern avenue, Colbert Auge and others for one light on Douglas street, C. J. Smith and others for one light on Beech street, F. O. Whitcomb and others for one light on Franklin street, Cornelius Sullivan and others for one light on Butler's court, H. E. Shepardson and others for one light on High street, C. J. Eklund and others for two lights on Ashuelot street, L. W. Safford and others for one light on Winchester street, A. M. Hill and others for one light on Water street, beg leave to report they have attended to the duty assigned them and recommend that the petitions of Colbert Auge, Douglas street, C. J. Smith, Beech street, F. O. Whitcomb, Franklin street, Cornelius Sullivan, Butler court, C. J. Eklund, Ashuelot street, be granted, and incandescent electric lights be installed on the above named streets, and we also recommend that the petition of A. M. Hill, Water street, be granted, and an arc electric light be installed on Water street, corner of Carpenter street.

The total expense per year of the lights petitioned for is \$313.50, the expense of those recommended is \$208.50.

C. W. MORSE,  
W. D. WHITTAKER,  
A. F. GARDNER,

Joint Standing Committee on Street Lights.  
Keene, N. H., June 7, 1906.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to street lights.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the sum of two hundred eight dollars and fifty cents be and hereby is appropriated from any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, for additional street lights, to be installed under the direction of the committee on street lights and in accordance with their recommendations reported herewith.

Passed June 7, 1906.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the Perry place.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the joint standing committee on lands and buildings is hereby authorized to let the Perry place for the sum of twelve dollars (\$12) per month, reserving such land and buildings as have heretofore been reserved for the use of the water and highway departments.

Passed June 7, 1906.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the appropriation of school money.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the money by law assessed in the city of Keene for the support of schools the present year, amounting to the sum of twenty thousand three hundred two dollars and fifty cents, the literary fund of eight hundred sixty-five dollars and seventy cents, and the unexpended balance of the dog license fees, amounting to the sum of nine hundred twenty-three dollars and thirty-five cents, making a total of twenty-two thousand ninety-one dollars and fifty-five cents, be appropriated for the support of the schools in Union school district.

Passed June 7, 1906.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to additional appropriations.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That in addition to the sums heretofore appropriated, the following named sums be and hereby are appropriated from any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated for the purposes named.

Collection of garbage,	\$170 00
Assistance to persons in quarantine,	125 00
Opera chairs, city hall,	18 75

Passed June 7, 1906.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the purchase of land near Woodward pond.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the mayor be authorized to purchase the Mark land, so called, situate in the town of Roxbury, near Woodward pond, and that a sum not exceeding \$510 be and hereby is appropriated for that purpose.

Passed June 7, 1906.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION for notices against setting fires.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the chief of the fire department be, and he hereby is, directed to cause to be posted in such places in the city as shall seem proper for the purpose, extracts from the fire laws of the state and such other notices as may seem proper to him in connection therewith, for the purpose of giving notice and warning in respect to the setting of forest and brush fires.

Passed June 7, 1906.



A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the purchase of a pair of horses.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the superintendent of streets, one alderman to be appointed by the mayor, and a member of the city councils, to be selected by the president, be and hereby are appointed a committee, with full power to dispose of one pair of the city's horses, lately purchased, and to purchase a pair of horses suitable to take the place of said pair so disposed of, and that a sum not exceeding two hundred and fifty dollars be and hereby is appropriated from any money in the treasury, which has not already been appropriated, for said purpose.

Passed June 21, 1906.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to a memorial for Park Commissioner George A. Wheelock.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That a memorial page and a likeness of the late George Alexander Wheelock be inserted in the next city report under the direction of the joint standing committee on printing.

Passed June 21, 1906.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to West Keene sewer.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the committee on water works, sewers and drains is hereby instructed to change the course of the lower end of the West Keene sewer, so called, beginning at the man-hole in Winchester street opposite Island street and continuing southeasterly along the proposed street across the Whitcomb farm, a distance of about 1,065 feet, to the



manhole as shown on the accompanying plan, thence about 120 feet to the Ashuelot river, the same being along the line marked D, at an expense of \$1,672.25 for construction and \$150 for land damages.

Passed June 25, 1906.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to adjournment.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That when these bodies adjourn, it be to meet on the first Thursday of September next, at 7.30 o'clock p. m., unless otherwise ordered by the mayor.

Passed June 25, 1906.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to contracts for bridges, Water and Spring streets.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the bids for bridges for Water and Spring streets, submitted by the United Construction Company be and hereby are accepted, and that the mayor and joint standing committee on bridges be and hereby are authorized to contract with said United Construction Company, for said bridges, on the basis of said bids.

And they are authorized, also, to contract with responsible parties to construct abutments for said Water street bridge on the basis of the specifications issued for bids on the same.

Passed July 23, 1906.

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Providence, R. I., July 31, 1906.

*To the City Treasurer, Keene, N. H.:*

Dear Sir:—The will of Elisha W. Willard, late of Middletown, R. I., of which this company is the executor, contains a bequest of \$100, to the city of Keene, N. H., “in

trust for the perpetual care of the grave" of Mary Willard, sister of the testator, who died and was buried in that city in 1827. A copy of Mr. Willard's will is enclosed herewith.

We are now prepared to pay the legacy upon receiving notice that the same is accepted by the proper authorities on behalf of the city.

Yours truly,

P. H. GARDNER,  
Trust Officer.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the Elisha W. Willard cemetery fund.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the city of Keene hereby accepts the bequest of the late Elisha W. Willard, amounting to the sum of one hundred dollars, in trust for the perpetual care of the grave of his sister, Mary Willard, who died and was buried in Keene in 1827, and the city clerk is hereby authorized to receipt for said sum and deposit the fund in the city treasury in accordance with Section 6, Chapter VI, City Ordinances.

Passed September 6, 1906.

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July 3, 1906.

*Hon. M. V. B. Clark, Mayor, City of Keene, Keene, N. H.:*

Dear Sir:—The will of George A. Wheelock contains the following clause: "I give to the city of Keene the sum of \$5,000 to be held in trust and the income thereof only, to be used for forestry work in the city parks, (including the minister lot, so called)."

Please let me know, at your convenience, whether the city will accept the bequest under the terms and conditions of the above clause.

Yours very truly,

W. H. ELLIOT,  
Executor.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the George A. Wheelock fund.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the city of Keene by its councils accepts the bequest of the late George Alexander Wheelock, the income thereof only to be used for forestry work in the city parks, including the Minister lot, and that the said bequest of five thousand dollars be invested under the direction of the joint standing committee on finance.

Passed September 6, 1906.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to additional appropriations.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows;

That in addition to the several sums heretofore appropriated, the following named sums be and hereby are appropriated from any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated for the purposes hereinafter expressed:

Ordinary city charges,	\$2,000 00
Board of prisoners at county jail,	412 79
Police department,	1,200 00
Macadam repairs,	300 00
Quarantine expenses,	200 00
Inspection Keene Fire Department,	60 00
Ballot inspectors,	80 00

Passed September 6, 1906.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to an electric light.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the committee on street lights be and hereby is instructed to install an incandescent electric light in the alley way between the city hall building and Stone's block.

Passed September 6, 1906.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to a ticket office for city hall.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the sum of one hundred dollars be and hereby is appropriated for the construction of a ticket office for city hall, under the direction of the joint standing committee on lands and buildings.

Passed September 20, 1906.

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September 7, 1906.

*To the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, Keene, N. H.:*

Gentlemen:—The undersigned desire to give to the city of Keene, N. H., the sum of one hundred dollars in trust, the interest thereon to be used for the care of the lot in Woodland cemetery where Justus Perry is buried, which I understand to be lot No. 45, in Section V.

Yours truly,

HORATIO PERRY PEIRSON.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the Justus Perry cemetery fund.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

Whereas Horatio Perry Peirson has offered the sum of one hundred dollars for a cemetery fund, the interest only to be used for the care of the lot in Woodland cemetery where Justus Perry is buried, therefore,

Resolved, That the city of Keene by its councils hereby accepts said sum and the finance committee is hereby instructed to invest the same in a legal interest bearing security.

Passed September 20, 1906.

KEENE, N. H., September 10, 1906.

*To the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Keene:*

The undersigned respectfully requests that permission be given him to hang a sign out over the sidewalk at No. 28 Railroad street, it to be attached to the building, over the doorway.

Size of sign is four feet by two feet.

IRVING F. WALES.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to a sign in the highway.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the committee on streets locate a sign to hang over the sidewalk at No. 28 Railroad street, to be attached over the doorway to said building.

Passed September 20, 1906.

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AN ORDINANCE regulating the use of city hall.

Be it ordained by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

Smoking in the city hall, or rooms or entrances adjoining, throwing nut shells or any other substance upon the floors, or committing any nuisance, is strictly forbidden, and any one known to be guilty of the same shall forthwith be removed from the hall.

Standing upon the seats, or sitting upon the arms of the same, or standing about the doorways or upon the stairs, during any occupancy of the hall, is also forbidden.

No person shall paste bills upon any part of the city hall building, except upon the boards erected for that purpose.

Any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be fined not less than one and not more than ten dollars for each offence.

Passed October 4, 1906.



A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to obtaining a street sweeper on trial.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the joint standing committee on streets obtain a street sweeper on trial and report at some future time to the councils relating to the effect of its use upon the streets.

Passed October 4, 1906.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to disbursement of interest on trust funds.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the income derived from the Simmons and Eastburn fund, amounting to \$57.29, be separated from any money in the treasury not heretofore appropriated, and divided among the poor and infirm aged persons of the city, in accordance with the provisions of the trust, by the board of mayor and aldermen.

That the income derived from the Minister fund, amounting to the sum of \$155.37, be separated from any money in the treasury and divided among the resident clergymen, regularly settled over parishes in the city, under the direction of the board of mayor and aldermen.

That the income derived from the Ingersoll Ladies' Park fund and the Ingersoll Library fund, amounting in each case to \$24.66, be and hereby is appropriated for the purposes named in the respective trusts.

Passed October 18, 1906.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to city reports.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the joint standing committee on printing be and it is hereby authorized and instructed to cause a sufficient



number of annual reports to be printed, which shall contain the report of the proceedings of the inauguration of the city government in January last, with such joint resolutions and ordinances as have since been passed, together with the reports of the finance committee, city officers who are required to report, and such other matter as may hereafter be ordered by the board of mayor and aldermen; and that they be issued in such form and number of copies as said committee may deem expedient; and that a sufficient number be bound in cloth for the use of city officers, and in leather for exchange.

Passed October 18, 1906.

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KEENE, October 12, 1906.

*To the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Keene:*

In behalf of the heirs of Elizabeth E. Keyes, enclosed please find check for one hundred dollars, the same to be held and the income thereof to be used for the care of the cemetery lot in the old cemetery, on Washington street, in which Elizabeth E. Keyes is buried.

Very respectfully yours,

J. FRED WHITCOMB,

Admr. of Estate of Elizabeth E. Keyes.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the Elizabeth E. Keyes cemetery fund.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the city of Keene by its councils hereby accepts from the heirs of Elizabeth E. Keyes the sum of one hundred dollars, in trust, the income thereof to be used in the care of the cemetery lot in section No. 65 in the Washington street cemetery, where Elizabeth E. Keyes is buried, and that the same be invested by the joint standing committee on finance.

Passed October 18, 1906.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the Horatio Kimball cemetery fund.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the city of Keene by its councils hereby accepts from Edward Perry Kimball, United States bonds, par value two hundred dollars, in trust, the income to be annually expended in the care of lot No. 17 in Section No. 6, Woodland cemetery.

Passed October 18, 1906.

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AN ORDINANCE in amendment of Chapter XXXII, City Ordinances.

Be it ordained by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the word "seven" in the third line of Section 6 be stricken out and the word "twelve" substituted therefor, so that said section as amended shall read, as follows:

SECT. 6. The superintendent of highways shall receive in full for his services, and all the duties appertaining to his office, the sum of twelve hundred dollars per year, to be paid in equal monthly payments.

Passed October 18, 1906.

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KEENE, N. H., October 31, 1906.

*To the City Councils of the City of Keene, N. H.:*

Gentlemen:—The National Novelty Corporation hereby agrees that if the city will vote to discontinue the portion of Myrtle street lying easterly of Beaver brook from the east end of the bridge across Beaver brook, instead of from its westerly end, the corporation will be responsible for the permanent proper repair and maintenance of the bridge.

NATIONAL NOVELTY CORPORATION,  
By Harry T. Kingsbury, Agent.

A JOINT RESOLUTION for the discontinuance of a part of Myrtle street.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That that portion of Myrtle street in Keene between the easterly end of the bridge over Beaver brook and the easterly termination of said street at a stone post, be and the same hereby is discontinued.

Passed November 1, 1906.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to dividends received from the Keene Guaranty Savings Bank.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That said payments be disposed of as follows, to wit: on H. O. Coolidge fund, amounting to \$332.51, Mary A. Ball fund, \$12.93, Augusta O. Nims fund, \$6.47, be paid into the city treasury as allowed by law; on L. J. Colony fund, \$64.71, Simmons and Eastburn fund, \$84.11, Firemen's Relief fund, \$39.72, be deposited to the credit of these several accounts in the Keene Savings Bank, and that on the water loan sinking fund, \$480.60, be deposited to the credit of that account in the Cheshire County Savings Bank.

Passed November 1, 1906.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to land damages.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the sum of four hundred and fifty dollars, it being the sum allowed by the board of mayor and aldermen to Dr. Ira W. Russell, as land damages, for land taken at West Keene for a new highway, be and the same is hereby appropriated from any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Passed November 1, 1906.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to numbering buildings.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That Engineer Samuel Wadsworth be and hereby is authorized and instructed to affix numbers to buildings not heretofore numbered, on such basis of frontage as shall seem to him to be best, and record the same by plans in the office of the city clerk.

Passed November 1, 1906.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to a hot water heater for the fire station.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the sum of one hundred and twenty-five dollars be and hereby is appropriated from any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated for the installation of a hot water heater in the fire station under the direction of the joint standing committee on lands and buildings.

Passed November 1, 1906.

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*To the Board of Mayor and Alderman and Common Council of the City of Keene:*

Permit me respectfully to call your attention to the fact that certain persons in Sullivan, Keene and Gilsum have formed a desire to mark appropriately a historic spot, which was the northeast corner of the original Keene, the southeast corner of the original Gilsum, on the west line of the original town of Packersfield, which was the old Masonian Patent Line, which was also the east line of the original Keene.

Gilsum has already appropriated a sum not to exceed ten dollars for this object. Sullivan people will do something, and we are hoping that your honorable body will be willing to aid the project by an appropriation.

Our city engineer, Mr. Wadsworth, has located the spot. It is only about eight rods from a good highway in an open field. To correctly mark this corner would be



a service of much use, as the titles to many estates depend upon deeds and town grants of which this important corner is an initial point. Mr. Wadsworth would be glad to explain the matter and about what is wanted more particularly than can be done in a written communication.

It is hoped that such a marker can be dedicated in the presence of the citizens of all towns interested at the next Sullivan "home day."

Respectfully,

J. L. SEWARD.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to a monument to be placed on the Masonian Patent Line, at the northeast corner of the original Keene.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That, whereas, the towns of Gilsum and Sullivan have expressed a desire to suitably mark a historic spot, which was the northeast corner of the original Keene, the southeast corner of the original Gilsum, on the west line of the original town of Packersfield, which was the old Masonian Patent Line, which was also the east line of the original Keene, and

Whereas the town of Gilsum has already appropriated a certain sum of money for this purpose, therefore

Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty dollars be and hereby is appropriated from any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated for the purpose aforesaid, under the direction of Engineer Samuel Wadsworth.

Passed November 15, 1906.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to an appropriation for Elliot City Hospital.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That in addition to the sum heretofore appropriated, the sum of five hundred dollars be and hereby is appropriated from any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, in aid of the Elliot City Hospital.

Passed November 15, 1906.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the Symonds fund.

Resolved by the city councils of the city of Keene, as follows:

That the sum of one thousand six hundred eighty-four dollars and seventy-nine cents, belonging to the John Symonds fund, now in the hands of the city treasurer, as trustee or agent for the city, be invested, under the direction of the joint standing committee on finance.

Passed December 6, 1906.





# ANNUAL REPORTS.



## REPORT OF THE CITY TREASURER.

*To the Honorable Mayor and City Councils:*

I herewith present my report as city treasurer for the year ending December 1, 1906.

### RECEIPTS.

Balance in treasury, Dec. 1, 1905,	\$42,032 00
A. M. Nims, collector, taxes, 1898,	100 00
A. M. Nims, collector, taxes, 1901,	186 42
A. M. Nims, collector, taxes, 1902,	472 45
A. M. Nims, collector, taxes, 1903,	1,358 50
A. M. Nims, collector, taxes, 1904,	2,188 90
A. M. Nims, collector, taxes, 1905,	19,855 95
A. M. Nims, collector, taxes, 1906,	91,262 09
A. M. Nims, collector, water rates,	24,409 96
A. M. Nims, collector, street sprink- ling,	1,250 00
A. M. Nims, desk sold,	3 00
W. E. Mason, cemetery collections,	2,146 25
Frank H. Whitcomb, city clerk,	5,439 47
Paul F. Babbidge, water and sewer department,	2,059 22
J. F. Emmons, rent city hall,	42 50
W. J. Wheelock, rent city hall,	20 00
Albert W. Green, rent city hall,	2,037 50
A. A. Wallace, highway department,	1,677 57
E. H. Fletcher, paupers and dependent soldiers,	3,763 10

L. Wellington, plumbers' licenses,	\$6 50
W. S. Tuttle, fines and costs,	74 82
B. G. Hall, police department,	198 90
L. W. Holmes, police court fines,	641 00
H. W. Keyes, license commissioner account,	6,169 84
W. R. Porter, city treasurer, interest and dividends,	2,407 45
S. A. Carter, state treasurer of insurance tax,	681 00
S. A. Carter, state treasurer of railroad tax,	6,889 06
S. A. Carter, state treasurer of savings bank tax,	3,160 98
S. A. Carter, state treasurer of literary fund tax,	930 25
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	\$221,464 68

## DISBURSEMENTS.

City orders,	\$177,796 59
Balance in treasury,	43,668 09
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	\$221,464 68
	W. R. PORTER,
	Treasurer.

December 6, 1906.

## REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

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The joint standing committee on finance respectfully lay before the city councils the following statement of all receipts and expenditures from December 1, 1905, to December 1, 1906, together with a schedule of the property, real and personal, belonging to the city, and the value thereof, and the amount of the city debt.

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### EXPENDITURES.

#### ORDINARY CITY CHARGES.

Balance from last year,	\$554 17
Appropriation,	7,500 00
Additional appropriation,	2,000 00
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	\$10,054 17
Paid James S. Taft, salary, mayor,	\$125 00
Martin V. B. Clark, salary, mayor,	375 00
Frank H. Whitcomb, salary, city clerk,	800 00
John E. Allen, salary, solicitor,	50 00
John E. Allen, complaints and war-	
rants,	321 35
Joseph F. Emmons, salary, messenger,	100 00
Albert W. Green, salary, messenger,	300 00
Charles H. Hersey, salary, auditor,	200 00
Lewis W. Holmes, salary, police justice,	100 00
Lewis W. Holmes, justice fees,	682 68
Walter R. Porter, salary, treasurer,	50 00



Paid Herbert O. Wardwell, salary, clerk of common council,	\$50 00
Ainsworth M. Nims, salary, tax col- lector,	400 00
Daniel R. Cole, salary, assessor,	130 00
Henry W. Nims, salary, assessor,	130 00
Frank K. Jewett, salary, assessor,	130 00
Edward A. Kingsbury, salary, as- sistant assessor,	52 00
Leonard Wellington, salary, board of health,	75 00
Charles G. Shedd, salary, board of health,	75 00
Frank D. Worcester, salary, board of health,	75 00
Charles G. Shedd, salary, moderator,	2 00
Franklin H. Fay, salary, moderator,	2 00
George F. Stone, salary, moderator,	2 00
Fred E. Howe, salary, moderator,	2 00
Robert J. Patten, salary, moderator,	2 00
Ainsworth M. Nims, salary, ward clerk and reports,	6 00
Albert W. Spaulding, salary, ward clerk and reports,	7 00
Hiram F. Newell, salary, ward clerk and reports,	6 00
Edson G. Whitcomb, salary, ward clerk and reports,	6 00
Luther B. Randall, salary, selectman,	5 00
George M. Reed, salary, selectman,	5 00
William J. Callahan, salary, selectman,	5 00
Wilbur B. Knight, salary, selectman,	5 00
Bertram A. Powers, salary, selectman,	5 00
Frank B. Sawyer, salary, selectman,	5 00
Linn E. Drummer, salary, selectman,	5 00
George F. Kingsbury, salary, selectman,	5 00
Frank H. Weeks, salary, selectman,	5 00

Paid Don C. Quinn, salary, selectman,	\$5 00
Leston M. Barrett, salary, selectman,	5 00
Albert H. Hamblet, salary, selectman,	5 00
John H. Shea, salary, selectman,	5 00
James H. Goodhue, services, supervisor,	15 00
Henry W. Nims, services, supervisor,	22 50
Albert W. Green, services, supervisor,	20 35
Jedediah C. Estabrook, services, supervisor,	5 00
Edward P. Dee, services, supervisor,	32 50
Harry E. Thornton, hall stage work,	14 90
William J. Wheelock, hall stage work,	46 50
David W. Mitchell, hall stage work,	48 55
George F. Little, hall stage work,	109 00
George H. Riley, hall stage work,	1 40
Henry L. Barrett, hall stage work,	4 80
Arthur Punt, city hall work,	50
Eugene W. Riley, city hall work,	4 70
* Herbert J. Richardson, city hall work,	44 70
Leon M. Willard, repairs, etc.,	39 89
Edward H. Fletcher, dumping ground,	50 00
George H. Giffin, coal and wood,	795 95
F. S. Webster Co., typewriter supplies,	8 48
Charles A. Balch, city hall work,	3 00
Claude Rumrill, city hall work,	75
George Deyo, city hall work,	85
Ernest Fitch, city hall work,	40
Harry N. Sutton, work, city hall,	50
J. D. Colony & Sons, printing and advertising,	16 25
John F. Page, witness fee,	77
Stella A. Thomas, witness fee,	77
Denison & Sons, treasurer's book,	5 75
Frank T. Vaughan, counsel, Oliver,	5 00
Edward D. Baker, city hall work,	80
Orville E. Cain, counsel fee,	5 00

Paid Fred W. Towne, painting,	\$17 50
Charles C. Buffum, conveyances, recording,	9 00
C. F. Dorman, painting, etc.,	79 50
Herbert O. Wardwell, rubber stamps,	70
William F. Lahiff, witness fees,	2 00
Frank C. Potter, work Coolidge park,	5 00
Hiram F. Newell, repairs, city hall,	11 40
Loren J. Keyes, services, city hall,	50
James B. Sweeney, services, city hall,	75
Karl D. Sabin, services, city hall,	50
Ralph H. Clark, services, city hall,	50
James L. Whitcomb, services, city hall,	50
Forrest Z. Morey, work city hall,	2 80
Frank H. Whitcomb, records for state, laws of 1905,	211 14
Frank H. Whitcomb, reporting vital statistics, paid express, postage, etc.,	181 99
Frank H. Whitcomb, completing birth records, laws of 1899,	110 65
Nims, Whitney & Co., lumber,	41 12
Cain & Benton, counsel, Evleth,	5 00
George H. Aldrich & Sons, insurance,	31 38
George F. Ball, insurance,	23 00
Mason Insurance Agency, insurance,	57 50
C. B. Perry & Sons, insurance,	31 38
New England Telephone & Telegraph Co., instruments and tolls,	32 32
Keene Gas & Electric Co., gas and electric lighting,	432 15
Hiram T. Houghton, hack hire,	1 25
Impervious Package Co., wax,	1 20
Fitzgerald & Hevey, plumbing, etc.,	12 58
Frank H. Baldwin, use of ward room,	10 00
A. B. Skinner Co., goods,	28 72
J. & F. French, use of ward room,	10 00

Paid Knowlton & Stone, goods,	\$25 76
Harry E. Thornton, work, etc.,	2 27
Ned Pierce, repairs, Perry house,	14 35
William J. Wheelock, cleaning council rooms,	2 18
Reuben Ray, repairs,	2 70
American Express Company, express on reports and ordinances,	2 60
Aldrich & Dutton, goods,	1 80
William P. Chamberlain & Co., goods,	1 80
Physicians, reporting births and deaths,	93 00
Clergymen and others, reporting mar- riages,	22 75
Sentinel Printing Co., printing, etc.,	1,499 66
Mrs. Toosa Guyett, cleaning city hall,	145 88
American Engraving Co., line plate,	11 20
Aretus F. Gardner, work, city hall,	29 85
Ainsworth M. Nimis, collector, water for stores,	34 40
Bullard & Shedd Company, goods,	4 45
Fred H. Ward, work, city hall,	1 00
Pearson Bros., goods, etc.,	86 41
Hezro W. Hubbard, repairs, etc.,	78 94
Jennie Moline, cleaning city hall,	13 20
Darling & Co., printing,	54 75
Hotel Ellis, use of ward room,	10 00
Peter Langdon, work, city hall,	2 00
Spencer Hardware Company, goods, etc.,	26 30
Goodnow & Aldrich Company, goods, etc.,	57 50
William H. Beauregard, work, city hall,	24 75
George M. Rossman, goods, etc.,	18 32
Charles Hutchinson, work, city hall,	50
E. W. French & Co., goods,	2 04

Paid Rose Lower, work, city hall,	\$27 22
Mary Wall, work, city hall,	12 34
G. H. Tilden & Co., goods,	37 58
C. M. Cummings, frames, city hall,	2 50
F. C. & L. A. Nims, teams,	7 00
Harry A. Pierce, teams,	6 00
Jerry P. Wellman, stamped envelopes,	47 47
Albert W. Green, expenses,	1 00
Kirk & Sewall, repairs, etc.,	1 10
Clarence E. Stickney, repairs, etc.,	7 82
C. H. Bridgman, goods,	4 37
Victor E. Hudson, signs, etc.,	12 00
Cassius M. White, repairs,	45 56
Jerry Lower, witness fee,	77
Julia E. Sheppard, work, city hall,	2 48
Ainsworth M. Nims, burner, etc.,	1 45
Wilton H. Spalter, goods,	41 40
Duren & Kendall, exchange of Elliott platin,	20 00
Herman C. Rice, labor, etc.,	31 25
John H. Brown, plumbing,	25 76
Sidney Conant, canvassing ward,	13 75
Fred H. Ward, labor,	1 00
J. Fred Whitcomb, repairs on flag,	2 00
John G. Raymond, work, city hall,	80
Albert W. Green, paid express charges, etc.,	6 55
John P. Flanagan, work, city hall,	8 80
George B. Robertson, labor, etc.,	5 52
John H. Pender, hack hire,	1 50
H. M. Saunders & Co., stage hardware,	2 50
Charles F. Coburn, work, city hall,	5 60
Highway department, labor,	14 00
Water and sewer department, labor,	142 53
Herbert A. Davis, canvassing ward,	20 00
Samuel Wadsworth, plans, services surveying, etc.,	143 59

Paid Hiram F. Newell, canvassing ward,	\$29 75	
Forrest L. Carey, goods,	1 00	
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		\$9,981 85
Balance to new account,		\$72 32

## CITY PAUPERS.

Balance from last year,	\$1,585 98	
Appropriation,	2,000 00	
Dividend, O'Donnell fund,	20 00	
Dividend, Spaulding fund,	7 95	
Sarah C. Ellis, for care of Louisa Gayton,	30 00	
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		\$3,643 93
Paid Edward H. Fletcher, salary and office rent,	\$275 00	
Charles S. Walker, salary, physician,	100 00	
Mrs. Charles Burns, support of self,	5 00	
Erford A. Clark, support of self,	16 00	
Elizabeth A. Bailey, support of self,	72 00	
Oscar W. Spaulding, support of self,	36 00	
Ellen Hanley, support of self,	66 00	
Cheshire County, care of Oney Car- roll,	78 00	
Cheshire County, care of S. Baker,	173 20	
J. Whitney Buckminster, rent, Mrs. S. A. Carpenter,	80 00	
Henry S. Stevens, groceries,	4 00	
Mrs. C. C. Parker, support of self,	102 00	
Mrs. Martha Griffith, support of self,	80 00	
John Driscoll, care of Mrs. T. Ryan,	110 00	
Boston Branch Grocery, goods,	4 00	
Geo. E. Holbrook & Co., goods,	4 00	
Forrest L. Carey, goods,	4 00	
Stone & Smith, goods,	4 00	



Paid C. H. Bridgman, goods,	\$4 00
Ferdinand Petts, rent, Ellen Hanley,	72 00
Elliot City Hospital, care of poor,	16 00
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	\$1,305 20
Balance to new account,	\$2,338 73

## COUNTY PAUPERS.

Paid Mrs. Mark W. Barron, support of self,	\$96 00
Hattie L. P. Hastings, support of self,	96 00
Mrs. Everett Newell, support of self,	80 00
Mrs. Grace Brennan, care of Mrs. Frank Burchum,	48 00
Mary O'Neil, support of self,	48 00
Mrs. Abbie Howard, care of Sullivan children,	192 00
Kate Donovan, support of self,	60 00
Mrs. William I. Woods, support of self,	85 50
Arbella Robinson, support of self,	78 00
F. A. Garfield, rent, Mrs. R. Golden,	74 35
Marshall M. Pierce, care of Ida Pierce,	74 35
Whitcomb Farm, milk, Mrs. Kelleher,	5 52
Mrs. William T. Winn, care Nellie Mahar,	74 35
Margaret Southwick, support of self,	48 00
Emily Blanchard, support of self,	120 00
Ella H. King, support of self,	96 00
Isaac Champagne, care of Mary Champagne,	12 00
Mary M. Crouch, support of self,	60 00
Edward H. Bartlett, rent, O. Stromgren,	42 00
Mrs. Abner Sprague, support of self,	120 00

Paid Cassius M. White, care Esther Whitcomb,	\$6 43
Mrs. E. W. Hadley, support of self,	62 35
Patrick Hickey, support of self,	48 00
Mrs. J. Laporte, support of self,	20 00
Catherine B. Hastings, support of self,	96 00
James S. Taft, rent, F. Sharkey,	21 00
Katherine F. Leverett, care of Mary Glynn,	37 80
Henry S. Stevens, groceries,	40 28
Elie Chabot, groceries,	16 03
Winslow F. Harris, shoes,	7 75
George H. Giffin, drawing wood, coal, etc.,	28 88
O. J. Howard & Co., goods, services, etc.,	44 00
Erford A. Clark, support of self,	80 00
Leon W. Foster, milk,	27 36
C. W. Wyman, provisions,	15 65
Mrs. F. O. Nims, rent, Mrs. Clasby,	48 00
Faulkner & Colony Mfg. Co., rent.	
T. Curran,	45 00
Warren B. Fitch, rent, Mrs. L. Seavey,	60 00
Bertram Ellis, rent, Isabel Carney,	96 00
Charles W. Hubbard, rent, E. Willard,	45 00
William P. Chamberlain, rent, Mrs. Martha Griffith,	69 00
Nims Bros. & Co., provisions,	11 77
Humphrey Machine Co., rent, Mrs. C. Burns,	15 00
Boston Branch Grocery, groceries,	41 10
S. K. Stone, milk, Curran,	10 92
Elliot City Hospital, care of poor,	390 01
Ellen Hanley, support of self,	12 00
Charles Warren, provisions,	7 66
Matilda Cota, care of Castor children,	2 00
Geo. E. Holbrook & Co., groceries,	40 00

Paid George Sharkey, care of William Lanois,	\$1 15
F. H. Wright & Co., shoes,	2 50
Edward H. Fletcher, expense paid, Hutchinson,	5 00
John M. Duffy, shoes,	2 00
George W. Buckminster, moving Hutchinson,	3 20
J. Fred Whitcomb, milk, Kelleher,	16 38
Forrest L. Carey, groceries,	43 93
W. L. Goodnow Co., goods,	1 48
G. W. Thompson, milk, Hutchinson,	1 38
Willis A. Tupper, support of self,	35 00
John P. Rust, wood,	1 25
Samuel W. Dart, rent, Mrs. C. Britton,	66 50
George O. Ballou, milk, Lanois,	50
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight,	5 76
Grace E. Tiffin, rent, W. Lanois,	36 20
Stone & Smith, groceries,	41 82
C. H. Bridgman, groceries,	49 93
Spencer Hardware Co., coal,	3 75
C. Auger, burial,	2 00
Mrs. L. Cummings, care of Mrs. St. John,	5 00
C. C. Worcester, milk, Curran,	10 98
F. C. & L. A. Nims, teams,	10 00
Aldrich & Dutton, goods,	2 00
Elbridge Kingsbury, milk, Mrs. Punt,	1 98
Sarah J. Drummer, rent, Mrs. F. Burchum,	15 00
Eliza M. Starkey, support of self,	6 00
Samuel L. Newton, milk, Mrs. B. Towne,	5 49
Mason Insurance Agency, rent, Chas. Seward,	12 00
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	\$3,343 24

## HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT.

Balance from last year,	\$1,670 33
Appropriation,	10,000 00
Rent of city pasture,	40 00
From street sprinkling assessment,	1,076 00
Keeping horses, fire department, 52 weeks,	260 00
Answering 13 alarms, fire department,	136 50
Packing and unpacking hydrants, fire department,	9 00
Labor on West Keene sewer system,	71 12
Labor for water department,	16 00
For labor and gravel,	32 30
Labor for sewer department,	12 00
Labor on Central park,	21 00
Labor for drain department,	25 15
J. Fred Whitcomb, use of tools,	75
Cheshire County, for use of boiler,	8 25
Geo. F. Ball, voucher No. 1164, amount returned,	12 75
Frederic A. Faulkner, labor removing tree,	5 00
Mrs. Willard, for labor,	15 00
J. Cushing & Co., error on bill of grain,	30
Charles W. Morse, stone,	3 00
Arthur A. Wallace, labor,	5 00
Arthur A. Wallace, trimming trees,	13 50
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	\$13,432 95
Paid Elmer A. Nims, salary and use of horse,	\$158 48
Arthur A. Wallace, salary and use of horse,	644 75
Frank H. Whitcomb, weekly pay-rolls,	8,002 49
George H. Eames, grain,	237 65
J. Fred Stearns, lettering signs, etc.,	21 95

Paid Rufus S. Graves, work,	\$36 00
Nims, Whitney & Co., lumber,	29 37
Thomas Grimes, breaking roads,	10 12
Joseph Chase, gravel,	21 30
Clinton P. Bugbee, services,	28 50
Bridge Bros., railing poles,	45 82
J. Whitney Buckminster, gravel,	51 00
Mrs. Charles Ellis, gravel and poles,	37 90
George H. Hart, gravel,	22 00
Thomas T. Russell, work,	16 50
William B. Reed, gravel,	21 70
Henry Woodbury, gravel,	2 50
Harold S. Bond, tools, cart, etc.,	34 10
Frank H. Baldwin, goods,	26 86
Webb Granite & Construction Co., paving blocks,	285 98
Sidney C. Ellis, work,	130 25
Knowlton & Stone, goods,	192 68
Josiah M. Woodward, repairs,	1 24
C. W. Wyman, hay,	28 16
Myron C. Ellis, work,	6 12
Daniel E. Hathorn, work,	1 50
Young Jones, shoeing,	59 40
Reuben Ray, repairs,	115 71
Alfred E. Barnard, repairs,	54 15
Thomas M. Aldrich, hay,	85 92
J. Cushing & Co., grain,	257 17
Humphrey Machine Co., labor,	80
Saunders & Gorman, shoeing,	45 00
Fred Knight, gravel,	3 20
Sanford K. Baker, railing poles,	5 25
C. S. Carkin, shoeing,	44 06
Bullard & Shedd Co., goods,	25 75
Pearson Bros., goods,	9 58
F. F. Wilcox, repairs,	10 80
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight,	25 74
N. G. Gurnsey & Co., goods,	5 00

Paid Spencer Hardware Co., goods,	\$28 38
D. R. & F. A. Cole, grain,	200 63
Calvin W. Farwell, gravel,	89 50
Geo. B. Robertson, repairs,	153 15
Clarence N. Holman, railing poles,	92 39
Beaver Mills, lumber, etc.,	197 03
John M. Grout, ploughing roads,	16 50
Bert W. Hodgkins, goods,	2 00
Henry Ellis, ploughing,	19 50
John H. Robbins, gravel,	1 50
John P. Rust, supplies,	4 65
Lewis Bedaw, work,	8 40
William Emery, ploughing walks,	13 50
Edward H. Fletcher, ploughing walks,	12 00
John M. Darling, work,	63 10
Arthur A. Wallace, mileage,	4 25
A. E. Fish & Co., repairs,	3 45
Leavitt W. Safford, ploughing roads,	12 50
Charles P. Russell, snowing arch bridge,	4 00
Robert C. Jones, repairs,	7 00
Webb Granite & Construction Co., grout,	
John W. Nye, gravel,	3 90
Henry W. Nims, railing poles,	2 70
Irvin Curtis, work,	2 30
William G. Tucker, part of gravel land,	20 00
Arthur A. Wallace, paid Tucker, on gravel land,	5 00
George F. Ball, insurance,	12 75
George F. Ball, insurance,	12 75
Fred E. Whitehouse, work,	4 20
Thomas A. Hastings, lumber,	77 36
Herman C. Rice, ladder,	15 00
Fred H. Fay, paid for medicine,	1 50
David B. Stearns, work,	24 00
Charles P. Pitcher, hay,	87 89
James H. Spencer, shoeing,	5 75
Edward H. Fletcher, hay,	81 80



Paid Lewis Robbins, gravel,	\$3 00
F. C. & L. A. Nims, teams,	7 00
Lowell Bigelow, work,	8 67
Henry Purcell, hay,	59 63
C. B. Mansfield, fence posts,	36 00
Cassius M. White, repairs, etc.,	9 18
Charles H. Darling, work,	21 50
Harry E. Bemis, bridle,	1 25
Massachusetts Broken Stone Co.,	'
stone,	106 05
F. E. Aldrich, hay,	30 56
Wilton H. Spalter, goods,	95
Pearson Bros., goods,	1 60
F. W. Davis, sand,	1 00
Charles L. Smith, horse hire, 9 weeks,	45 00
Clinton P. Bugbee, services,	31 75
Peter Heffron, hay,	36 59
Wilder F. Gates, work,	162 75
Jeremiah Donovan, saw,	9 00
Edwin V. Aldrich, work,	12 25
Keene Auto-Cycle Co., goods,	1 50
Fred W. Knight, poles,	9 72
A. B. Black, agent, edge and points,	8 70
Ernest L. Stanford, hay,	70 65
George D. Gillis, labor,	17 00
Water and sewer department, labor,	14 79
Hezro W. Hubbard, repairs,	50
Carl Ek, gravel,	2 10
A. C. Mason, carrots,	10 00
George H. Nims, gravel,	2 10
Daniel E. Hathorn, gravel,	50
Henry W. Nims, gravel, etc.,	35 29
Samuel Wadsworth, services,	19 50
Wilkinson & Co., goods,	25
Forrest L. Carey, goods,	1 56
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	\$12,910 47
Balance to new account,	\$522 48

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Balance from last year,	\$180 60
Appropriation,	5,750 00
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	\$5,930 60
Paid Frank H. Whitcomb, weekly pay-rolls,	\$780 00
Frank H. Whitcomb, brush fires and still alarms pay-roll,	66 75
Fred W. Towne, salary, chief engineer,	100 00
Edward P. Carrigan, salary, clerk of board,	75 00
Louis A. Nims, salary, assistant engineer,	50 00
Dennis J. Foley, salary, assistant engineer,	50 00
Joseph F. Emmons, salary, superintendent, fire alarm,	50 00
Albert W. Green, salary, superintendent, fire alarm,	150 00
Steam Fire Engine & Hose Co., pay-roll,	702 50
Deluge Hose Co., No. 1, pay-roll,	605 00
Washington Hook & Ladder Co., pay-roll,	550 00
Geo. B. Robertson, engineer steamer, salary,	60 00
Harry N. Aldrich, engineer steamer, salary,	60 00
Nelson A. Crosier, assistant engineer,	25 00
Truman A. Smith, assistant engineer,	12 50
Henry L. Barrett, fireman of steamer,	10 00
John H. Simpson, fireman of steamer,	5 00
Edward A. Wiggett, fireman of steamer,	5 00
Frank M. Davis, salary, assistant engineer,	12 50

Paid Keene Gas & Electric Co., gas and electric lighting,	\$295 40
New England Telephone and Telegraph Co., telephones and tolls,	45 65
Humphrey Machine Co., repairs, rollers, etc.,	14 40
Geo. M. Stevens Co., pull boxes, repairs, etc.,	236 59
William T. Winn, seating chairs,	10 00
Hiram T. Houghton, hack hire,	25
Henry S. Stevens, goods,	3 98
City Ice Co., ice,	1 50
Frank H. Baldwin, goods,	3 25
Charles H. Bridgman, goods,	6 82
Fred H. Fay, janitor,	42 00
Knowlton & Stone, goods,	2 18
Spencer Hardware Co., goods,	17 38
Reuben Ray, repairs,	1 65
Alfred E. Barnard, repairs,	7 45
Aldrich & Dutton, goods,	75
Electric Gas Lighting Co., goods,	59 68
W. L. Goodnow Co., mittens,	10 50
Sentinel Printing Co., printing,	10 50
Pearson Bros., goods,	7 73
W. P. Chamberlain Co., goods,	60
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight,	6 96
Fred W. Towne, inspecting fire district,	36 75
Goodnow & Aldrich Co., goods,	65
Reversible Tube Cleaner Co., tube cleaner,	1 75
Charles E. Perry & Co., register paper,	2 40
George B. Robertson, repairs,	7 78
Leon M. Willard, repairs, etc.,	347 78
Frank H. Whitcomb, paid express charges,	1 10

Paid G. H. Tilden & Co., goods,	\$0 50
Bert W. Hodgkins, goods,	1 05
C. N. Perkins Co., repairs,	21 80
Albert W. Green, expenses, express charges, etc.,	1 19
George H. Giffin, coal,	547 01
Keene Auto-Cycle Co., goods,	16 30
Wilkinson & Co., blankets,	18 23
A. B. Skinner Co., goods,	2 10
Peter G. Marrion, refreshments,	5 40
H. C. Briggs estate, pay of a fireman,	15 00
John G. Raymond, pay of a fireman,	25 00
Electric Goods Mfg. Co., goods,	118 77
H. J. Richardson, work,	4 50
Fred W. Towne, painting,	81 50
Frank M. Davis, pay of a fireman,	20 00
M. V. B. Clark, goods,	1 85
F. C. & L. A. Nims, teams,	7 00
George M. Rossman, goods,	8 45
Fred H. Fay, paid for postal cards,	2 13
C. S. Knowles, goods,	43 60
Highway department, work,	13 50
Henry K. Barnes, lantern torch,	6 50
J. Fred Whitcomb, clothing,	27 88
Bullard & Shedd Co., goods,	4 60
Jennie Harrington, cleaning fire station,	6 00
Stephen C. Roach, pay of a fireman,	7 50
Keene Auto-Cycle Co., goods,	15 25
Highway department, keeping horses and answering alarms,	405 50
Water and sewer department, labor,	145 15
Hezro W. Hubbard, repairs, etc.,	15 15
Jean P. Howes, repairs,	25 75
Wilkinson & Co., goods,	1 00

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 \$6,167 84

Account overdrawn,

\$237 24

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Balance from last year,	\$135 31
Appropriation,	4,000 00
Additional appropriation,	1,200 00
Police service,	198 90
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	\$5,534 21
Paid Benjamin G. Hall, salary, marshal,	\$1,200 00
Benjamin G. Hall, expenses,	80 69
William H. Philbrick, police duty,	923 92
William H. Philbrick, expenses,	9 90
Harry F. Buckminster, police duty,	891 42
Charles S. Wright, police duty,	926 03
Leon V. Aldrich, police duty,	5 60
Irving E. Allen, police duty,	2 80
Colbert Auger, police duty,	2 00
Fred A. Bowen, police duty,	2 40
James B. Duffy, police duty,	3 00
Sidney C. Ellis, police duty,	4 00
Levi M. Fay, police duty,	3 00
Lawrence Gilbo, police duty,	7 80
George D. Gillis, police duty,	9 10
Albert W. Green, police duty,	125 15
Frank X. Harmon, police duty,	11 40
Wyman Lawrence, police duty,	20 20
Charles H. Mason, police duty,	3 00
Burtis L. Parkman, police duty,	2 80
George H. Staples, police duty,	38 15
Andrew J. Sweeney, police duty,	15 00
William J. Wheelock, police duty,	47 12
James E. Wood, police duty,	217 85
Carl Swanstrom, police duty,	57 20
New England Telephone and Telegraph Co., telephone and tolls,	43 27
Keene Gas & Electric Co., gas and electric lighting,	137 79

Paid Hiram T. Houghton, hack hire,	\$59 50
A. J. LaRock, hack hire,	78 00
John H. Pender, hack hire,	172 25
F. C. & L. A. Nims, teams,	21 75
Harry A. Pierce, teams,	4 00
Kenneth E. Mosher, teams,	48 00
City Ice Co., ice,	3 50
A. B. Skinner Co., goods,	1 75
Knowlton & Stone, goods,	36 30
Aldrich & Dutton, goods,	3 80
Sentinel Printing Co., printing,	84 75
Cheshire Laundry, work,	4 87
Ervin J. Davis, meals,	179 50
George M. Rossman, goods,	14 20
Forrest L. Carey, goods,	72
Mary Wall, work,	2 40
A. Laware, services,	3 50
Frederic A. Faulkner, salary, com- missioner,	12 50
George H. Follansbee, salary, com- missioner,	12 50
Herbert B. Viall, salary, clerk of board,	25 00
E. Zac Saunderson, police duty,	2 00
West Disinfecting Co., disinfectant,	14 85
Wilton H. Spalter, goods,	1 38
A. S. Henderson, service,	3 00
L. M. Willard, goods, etc.,	1 45
E. S. King, service,	6 00
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight,	27
Edward J. Behan, hack hire,	4 00
W. P. Chamberlain Co., goods,	4 70
E. S. King, services,	6 40
Forrest L. Carey, goods,	3 12
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	\$5,606 55
Account overdrawn,	\$72 34



## WATER WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Bills paid,	\$5,612 89
Amount deposited by superintendent,	\$1,282 38

## SEWERS.

Balance from last year,	\$972 83
Appropriation,	1,000 00
Deposited by superintendent,	776 84
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	\$2,749 67
Bills paid,	2,104 80
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Balance to new account,	\$644 87

## DRAINS.

Balance from last year,	\$417 78
Appropriation,	1,000 00
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	\$1,417 78
Bills paid,	733 60
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Balance to new account,	\$684 18

For itemized accounts under the supervision of the water, sewer and drain department, see report of water commissioners and superintendent.

## NEW SEWERS, WEST KEENE.

Appropriation,	\$3,000 00
Additional appropriation,	7,000 00
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	\$10,000 00
Paid Frank H. Whitcomb, weekly pay-rolls,	\$3,209 56
Perrin Seamans & Co., sewer brace fittings,	72 00

Paid J. H. Cunningham Co., jute packing,	\$92	99
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight,	2	85
Pearson Bros., goods,	4,656	31
Thomas A. Hastings, lumber,	342	88
J. F. & F. H. Whitcomb, right of way,	150	00
Herbert O. Wardwell, rubber stamps,	80	
Davis & Farnum, goods,	61	90
Hezro W. Hubbard, work, etc.,	21	10
Knowlton & Stone, goods,	50	03
George W. Ball's Sons, brick,	46	40
Water and sewer department, labor,		
etc.,	703	12
Highway department, labor,	71	12
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		\$9,481 06
Balance to new account,		\$518 94

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### ELECTRIC STREET LIGHTS.

Balance from last year,	\$2,414	84
Appropriation,	9,000	00
Additional appropriation,	208	50
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		\$11,623 34
Paid Citizens' Electric Co., electric street		
lighting,	\$8,853	17
Hiram T. Houghton, hacks,	3	00
F. C. & L. A. Nims, teams,	6	00
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		\$8,862 17
Balance to new account,		\$2,761 17

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### SCHOOLS.

#### UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT.

Balance due district on year 1905,	\$16,000	00
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## CITY OF KEENE.

Appropriation as per joint resolution,	
1906, •	\$22,091 55
Appropriation as per district tax,	
1906,	13,790 00
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	\$51,881 55
Paid William C. Hall, treasurer, bal-	
ance, 1905,	\$16,000 00
William C. Hall, treasurer,	23,881 55
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	\$39,881 55
Balance due Union school district,	\$12,000 00

## SALARY OF BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Appropriation,	\$240 00
Paid Bertram Ellis,	\$26 67
Charles C. Buffum,	26 67
Henry W. Lane,	26 67
Wilton H. Spalter,	26 67
Gardner C. Hill,	26 67
Silas M. Dinsmoor,	26 67
William C. Hall,	26 66
Adolf W. Pressler,	26 66
Frank H. Whitcomb,	26 66
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	\$240 00

## PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Balance from last year,	\$378 80
Appropriation,	500 00
Appropriation, interest on Thayer and	
Chapin fund,	175 00
Fines collected,	75 00
Ingersoll Library fund,	24 66
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	\$1,153 46

Paid W. B. Clarke Co., books,	\$760 63	
G. E. Stechert Co., books,	7 90	
Outing Publishing Co., books,	2 00	
Sentinel Printing Co., printing,	10 50	
The H. W. Wilson Co., books,	6 00	
W. P. Chamberlain Co., books,	2 57	
Gorham Subscription Agency, books,	112 00	
F. J. Barnard & Co., books,	33 03	
Walter S. Houghton, books,	10 00	
David Farquhar, books,	82 40	
Library Bureau, books,	8 00	
Springfield Republican, publication,	1 00	
Charles Scribner's Sons, books,	1 24	
C. W. Tibbetts, books,	1 00	
Scientific American Compiling Department, books,	96 00	
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		\$1,134 27
Balance to new account,		\$19 19

## PUBLIC LIBRARY EXPENSE.

Appropriation,	\$2,000 00	
Pearson Bros., error on voucher,	2 65	
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		\$2,002 65
Paid account overdrawn,		\$2 18
Maud E. Bloomingdale, salary, librarian,	\$550 00	
Maude H. Sherman, assistant,	165 90	
Bessie M. McGregor, assistant,	14 55	
Theodore J. Locke, services, janitor, etc.,	354 80	
Keene Gas & Electric Co., gas and electric lighting,	176 31	
Library Bureau, call slips, binders, etc.,	19 60	
Gaylord Bros., binders,	1 20	

Paid W. P. Chamberlain Co., goods,	\$6 67
Sentinel Printing Co., printing,	20 50
Bullard & Shedd Co., goods,	1 55
Pearson Bros., repairs, etc.,	10 05
Office, Bank and Library Co., binders,	1 65
George M. Rossman, goods,	5 65
B. W. Hodgkins, goods,	50
Spencer Hardware Co., goods,	2 30
B. Magnuson, painting, work on floors, etc.,	24 20
Kirk & Sewall, repairs, etc.,	2 90
George H. Giffin, coal,	351 00
Kenneth E. Mosher, team,	1 50
Mason Insurance Agency, insurance,	22 50
Elisha F. Lane, loam,	4 80
Wilton H. Spalter, goods,	2 65
Goodnow & Aldrich Co., goods,	8 00
Ida L. Wood, seating chairs,	1 50
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	\$1,750 28
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	\$1,752 46
Balance to new account,	\$250 19

### CONCRETE WALK, PLEASANT STREET AND REPAIRS.

Balance from last year,	\$69 13
Appropriation,	1,625 00
Assessments collected, Central Square,	33 11
Charles W. Morse,	7 00
Charles C. Buffum,	16 98
George O. Hayward,	18 26
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	\$1,769 48
Paid Keene Artificial Stone Co., concrete work, etc.,	\$1,708 88

Paid Frank H. Whitcomb, weekly pay-rolls,	\$94 60	
Samuel Wadsworth, services,	17 10	
	<hr/>	\$1,820 58
Account overdrawn,		\$51 10

## MACADAM.

Appropriation,	\$2,000 00	
Additional appropriation,	300 00	
	<hr/>	\$2,300 00
Paid account overdrawn,		\$286 61
A. B. Skinner Co., goods,	\$5 55	
Beaver Mills, supplies,	58 77	
A. B. Black, agent, goods,	4 25	
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight,	586 20	
Hezro W. Hubbard, repairs,	68 71	
Frank H. Whitcomb, weekly pay-roll,	403 35	
Webb Granite & Construction Co., crushed stone,	35 00	
Massachusetts Broken Stone Co., broken stone,	773 85	
J. Fred Stearns, sign,	1 50	
Hezro W. Hubbard, repairs,	47 70	
Pearson Bros., goods,	74	
	<hr/>	\$1,985 62
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		\$2,272 23
Balance to new account,		\$27 77

## SCHOOL BOOKS AND SUPPLIES.

Balance from last year,	\$1 01	
Appropriation,	3,500 00	
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Paid Wilton H. Spalter, books and supplies,	\$3,085 11
G. H. Tilden & Co., books and supplies,	414 10
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	\$3,499 21
Balance to new account,	\$1 80

## COUNTY AID TO SOLDIERS OR THEIR FAMILIES.

Paid Mary J. Barlow, support of self,	\$78 00
Mrs. John L. Britton, support of self,	72 00
P. H. McCushing, groceries,	76 50
Lewis Ellis, rent, Edward Baker,	78 00
Mrs. S. A. Espenhaim, board of Geo. Hopkins,	6 75
Mrs. Eliza M. Starkey, support of self,	12 00
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	\$323 25

## PARKS.

Balance from last year,	\$19 88
Appropriation,	200 00
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	\$219 88
Paid George A. Wheelock, salary, park commissioner,	\$25 00
Sidney A. Ellis, work in parks,	99 34
Martin V. B. Clark, paid for table,	65
Frank H. Whitcomb, pay-roll,	6 00
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight,	2 43
Damon C. Twitchell, work,	25 00
Highway department, labor,	21 00
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	\$179 42
Balance to new account,	40 46

## CEMETERIES.

Balance from last year,	\$927 99
Appropriation for maintenance,	300 00
Appropriated for interest on funds deposited in treasury at 3½%,	305 80
Collected by W. E. Mason, superintendent, care of lots and sale of lots,	2,146 25
Income on cemetery funds collected by city treasurer,	63 06
Dividend, Keene Five Cents Savings Bank, superintendent's account,	130 97
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	\$3,873 97
Paid Walter E. Mason, salary, superintendent,	\$100 00
Walter E. Mason, services and use of horse,	656 71
Frank H. Whitcomb, weekly pay-rolls,	1,464 00
Frank A. Russell, work,	5 25
George H. Eames, supplies,	31 01
David E. Cheney, work,	92 00
Ellis Bros., filling vases, etc.,	30 00
Henry S. Stevens, goods,	65
Peter Connor, loam, etc.,	49 00
Knowlton & Stone, goods,	28 90
Frank H. Whitcomb, recording deeds,	5 25
George B. Robertson, repairs,	5 75
J. A. Garvin, stone work, sods, etc.,	17 00
Harrison Mfg. Co., weed killer,	5 00
W. H. Britton & Co., job work,	50
Pearson Bros., goods,	20 00
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight,	35
Spencer Hardware Co., goods,	1 89
Wilton H. Spalter, goods,	20
Levi T. Randall, stone,	1 75
W. D. Whittaker, work,	3 50

Paid George F. Ball, insurance,	\$3 75
Water and sewer department, labor,	10 64
Henry H. Barker, stone,	3 50
Nims, Whitney & Co., lumber,	2 40
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	\$2,539 00
Balance to new account,	\$1,334 97

## STREET SPRINKLING.

Amount of assessment collected,	\$1250 00
Paid account overdrawn,	\$111 67
Reuben Ray, repairs,	\$7 40
Hezro W. Hubbard, repairs,	16 49
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight,	37
Cornelius Callahan Co., hose and couplings,	39 68
J. Fred Stearns, painting carts,	50 35
J. L. & H. K. Potter, washers,	1 08
Frank H. Whitcomb, Sunday pay-roll,	16 80
Alfred E. Barnard, repairs,	50
Highway department, labor sprink- ling streets,	1,076 00
George D. Gillis, labor,	7 00
*Water and sewer department, labor,	57 75
Samuel Wadsworth, services,	9 25
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	\$1,282 67
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	\$1,394 34
Account overdrawn,	\$144 34

## REPAIRS AT POLICE STATION.

Appropriation,	\$225 00
Paid Keene Artificial Stone Co., concrete floor,	\$50 00

Paid Cassius M. White, labor, etc.,	\$65 82	
George W. Sargent, labor, etc.,	100 00	
Fitzgerald & Hevey, plumbing,	40 67	
	<hr/>	\$256 49
Account overdrawn,	<hr/>	\$31 49

## COUNTY TAX.

Balance due Cheshire County, year		
1905,	\$3,000 00	
County tax, assessed, 1906,	12,464 51	
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Paid treasurer of Cheshire County,	12,464 51	
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Balance due Cheshire County,		\$3,000 00

## LADIES' WILDWOOD PARK ASSOCIATION.

Balance from last year,	\$23 48	
Ingersoll Ladies' Park fund, income,		
1906,	24 66	
	<hr/>	\$48 14
Paid Ladies' Wildwood Park Association,	\$23 48	
Ladies' Wildwood Park Association,	24 66	
	<hr/>	\$48 14

## INTEREST ON BONDS.

Balance from last year,	\$2,185 00	
Appropriation,	6,170 00	
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Paid city treasurer, interest on bonds,	\$6,170 00	
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Balance to new account,		\$2,185 00

## BALLOT INSPECTORS.

Balance from last year,	\$40 00	
Appropriation,	80 00	
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		\$120 00
Paid Herbert A. Davis,	\$4 00	
Joseph Beals,	4 00	
Frank L. Hastings,	2 00	
William J. Foley,	4 00	
James F. Kelley,	2 00	
Liberty W. Foskett,	4 00	
Frederick M. Hamilton,	4 00	
George J. Bennett,	2 00	
William W. Sturtevant,	2 00	
Forrest Z. Morey,	2 00	
Oscar A. Knight,	2 00	
Wilton H. Spalter,	4 00	
William C. Hall,	4 00	
William T. Winn,	4 00	
Virgil A. Wright,	2 00	
Robert F. Carroll,	2 00	
Edward A. Kingsbury,	2 00	
Byron E. Robertson,	2 00	
Daniel E. Hathorn,	2 00	
George A. Keith,	2 00	
Edward Carr,	4 00	
George T. Colony,	2 00	
Clarence Russell,	2 00	
Fred A. Davis,	2 00	
Charles P. Pitcher,	4 00	
Michael J. Comer,	2 00	
George F. T. Trask,	2 00	
John H. Kennedy,	2 00	
Luke S. Ollis,	2 00	
Daniel E. Gorman,	2 00	
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		\$80 00
Balance to new account		\$40 00

## BOARD OF PRISONERS AT COUNTY JAIL.

Balance from last year,	\$75 07	
Appropriation,	412 79	
	<hr/>	\$487 86
Paid Cheshire County, boarding prisoners,		\$487 86

## COOLIDGE ANNUITY.

Balance from last year,	\$400 00	
Appropriation,	800 00	
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Paid Emily B. Coolidge,		\$800 00
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Balance to new account,		\$400 00

## FUNDS REINVESTED.

## WATER LOAN SINKING FUND.

Dividend Keene Five Cents Savings Bank,	\$810 13
Deposited Cheshire County Savings Bank,	810 13
Dividend Keene Guaranty Savings Bank,	480 60
Deposited Cheshire County Savings Bank,	480 60

## MINISTER FUND.

Dividend Keene Five Cents Savings Bank,	\$210 86
Deposited Cheshire County Savings Bank,	210 86

## DOMESTIC ANIMALS KILLED BY DOGS.

Balance from last year,	\$955 79	
Collected on year ending Apr. 30, 1906,	4 06	
	<hr/>	\$959 85
Paid Frank O. Wright, sheep killed,	\$20 00	
Charles Warren, appraising sheep,	1 00	



Paid Harry A. Pierce, teams,	\$2 50	
John E. Wyman, killing dogs,	13 00	
	<hr/>	\$36 50
Appropriated for Union school district schools,		\$923 35

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### DOMESTIC ANIMALS KILLED BY DOGS.

Amount of dog license fees collected, 1906,	\$1,023 93	
Paid Dennis J. Foley, license fee returned (advance payment)	\$2 00	
Sidney Conant, killing a dog,	1 00	
Daniel E. Hathorn, burying a dog,	1 00	
A. J. LaRock, hack hire, looking up stray dogs.	5 50	
John E. Wyman, killing dogs,	7 00	
Benjamin G. Hall, expenses notifying owners,	10 00	
John H. Pender, hack hire,	1 00	
	<hr/>	\$27 50
Balance in city treasury,		\$996 43

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### OPERA CHAIRS FOR CITY HALL.

Appropriation,	\$918 00	
Additional appropriation,	18 75	
	<hr/>	\$936 75
Paid Patrick Wall, moving seats,	\$1 00	
George Graves, moving seats,	1 40	
Albert W. Green, paid for moving seats,	85	
Readsboro Chair Mfg. Co., 690 chairs @ \$1.35,	899 41	
E. T. Woodward, work in hall,	2 00	
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight,	32 09	
	<hr/>	\$936 75

## MEMORIAL EXERCISES.

Appropriation,	\$200 00
Paid John Sedgwick Post, No. 4, G. A. R.,	\$200 00

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## PURCHASE OF MARK LAND.

Appropriation,	\$510 00
Paid Norris G. Gurnsey, Mark land (near Wood- ward pond),	500 00
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Balance,	\$10 00

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## PAYMENT OF SEWER BONDS.

Appropriation,	\$15,000 00
Paid city treasurer, sewer bonds,	\$15,000 00

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## FREE PUBLIC BAND CONCERTS.

Appropriation,	\$300 00
Paid Keene Military Band Aid Association,	\$300 00

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## PURCHASE OF RUBBER COATS AND BOOTS.

Appropriation,	\$100 00
Paid F. C. Tilton & Co., rubber coats,	\$69 75
Winslow F. Harris, rubber boots,	30 15
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	\$99 90
Balance to new account,	\$0 10

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## PURCHASE OF HORSES.

Appropriation,	\$250 00
Proceeds of horse sold,	125 00
Horse exchanged,	250 00
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	\$625 00

Paid M. J. Tetreault, in exchange, one horse,	\$250 00	
M. J. Tetreault, cash,	300 00	
Special committee, expenses,	5 50	
C. B. Perry & Sons, mileage,	7 02	
Clinton P. Bugbee, examination,	5 00	
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Disbursements,		\$317 52
Balance,		\$57 48

## COLLECTION OF GARBAGE.

Balance from last year,	\$126 50	
Appropriation (runners),	50 00	
Appropriation,	170 00	
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		\$346 50
Paid Frank H. Whitcomb, weekly pay-rolls,	\$273 00	
Robert C. Jones, hub runners,	50 00	
Robert C. Jones, repairs,	2 50	
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight,	38	
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		\$325 88
Balance to new account,		\$20 62

## ASSISTANCE TO PERSONS IN QUARANTINE AND INCIDENTAL EXPENSES.

Balance from last year,	\$9 43	
Appropriation,	125 00	
Additional appropriation,	200 00	
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		\$334 43
Paid D. R. & F. A. Cole, goods,	\$2 45	
C. P. Bugbee, services,	1 50	
W. P. Chamberlain Co., goods,	1 85	

Paid Thayer & Collins, supplies,	\$3 68
F. C. & L. A. Nims, teams,	2 25
Bullard & Shedd Co., goods,	169 98
New Era Tea Co., goods,	1 18
J. H. Curtis, milk,	1 62
P. H. McCushing, groceries,	8 44
Charles S. Walker, disinfecting,	19 00
Stone & Smith, groceries,	8 09
Orrin R. Fowler, goods,	9 00
Nims Bros., provisions,	10 31
Frank D. Worcester, tolls, etc.,	6 90
Geo. E. Holbrook & Co., groceries,	24 65
Police department, quarantine police,	12 60
Mary Punt, nursing Mrs. Moline,	16 00
Fred J. Leonard, goods,	8 96
John H. Pender, hack hire,	10 55
Cheshire Creamery, supplies,	4 26
George H. Giffin, wood,	3 13
P. H. Conley, disinfecting,	50
Elbridge Kingsbury, milk,	3 33
Herbert K. Faulkner,	3 00

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Balance to new account,

\$1 20

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 FUNDS INVESTED.

Justus Perry fund, amount received,	\$100 00
Deposited in Keene Savings Bank,	100 00
Elizabeth E. Keyes fund, amount received,	\$100 00
Deposited in Cheshire County Savings Bank,	100 00
Firemen's Relief fund, dividend, Keene Guaranty Savings Bank,	\$39 72
Deposited in Keene Savings Bank,	39 72
Simmons and Eastburn fund, dividend, Keene Guaranty Savings Bank,	\$84 11
Deposited in Keene Savings Bank,	84 11

Lewis J. Colony fund, dividend, Keene Guaranty	
Savings Bank,	\$64 71
Deposited in Keene Savings Bank,	64 71

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## INSPECTION KEENE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation,	\$60 00
Paid Keene Fire department, L. A. Nims, C. E.,	60 00

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## TICKET OFFICE FOR CITY HALL.

Appropriation,	\$100 00
Paid Henry E. Davis, labor, etc.,	98 00
Balance,	2 00

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## DISTRIBUTION OF INCOME, MINISTER FUND.

Appropriation,		\$155 37
Paid Arthur W. Bailey,	\$22 20	
Willis A. Hadley,	22 20	
H. Sumner Mitchell,	22 20	
Joseph Walther,	22 20	
Thomas E. Cramer,	22 19	
John S. Littell,	22 19	
Thomas J. Finning,	22 19	
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		\$155 37

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## LAND DAMAGES.

Appropriation,	\$450 00
Paid Ira W. Russell, land damage, West Keene,	450 00

## DISTRIBUTION OF INCOME, SIMMONS AND EAST-BURN FUND.

Appropriation,		\$57 29
Paid Beulah Ellis,	\$6 37	
Emily Clasby,	6 37	
Mary E. Britton,	6 37	
Julia Metcalf,	6 37	
Elizabeth A. Bailey,	6 37	
Nellie F. Saunders,	6 36	
Jarib S. Herrick,	6 36	
Hannah H. Cobleigh,	6 36	
Hannah S. Raymond,	6 36	
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## STEEL BRIDGES, SPRING AND WATER STREETS.

Appropriation,		\$1,600 00
Paid Frank H. Whitcomb, pay-rolls,	\$110 40	
United Construction Company, iron for bridges,	728 00	
Keene Artificial Stone Company, abut- ments and wall,	628 48	
Samuel Wadsworth, services,	47 00	
	<hr/>	\$1,513 88
Balance to new account,		\$86 12

## ELLIOT CITY HOSPITAL.

Appropriation,	\$500 00
Additional appropriation,	500 00
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	\$1,000 00
Paid Elliot City Hospital,	\$1,000 00



## NUMBERING BUILDINGS.

Balance from last year,	\$35 19
Paid Samuel Wadsworth, numbering buildings,	5 25
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Balance to new account,	\$29 94

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## INDEXING KEENE CEMETERIES.

Appropriation,		\$200 00
Paid account overdrawn,	\$26 75	
Samuel Wadsworth, services,	48 25	
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		\$75 00
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Balance to new account,		\$125 00

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## STATE TAX.

Amount assessed,	\$13,535 00
Paid state treasurer, state tax, 1906,	\$13,535 00

## RECAPITULATION.

## RECEIPTS.

Balance in treasury, Dec. 1, 1905,	\$42,032 00
A. M. Nims, collector, taxes, 1898,	100 00
A. M. Nims, collector, taxes, 1901,	186 42
A. M. Nims, collector, taxes, 1902,	472 45
A. M. Nims, collector, taxes, 1903,	1,358 50
A. M. Nims, collector, taxes, 1904,	2,188 90
A. M. Nims, collector, taxes, 1905,	19,855 95
A. M. Nims, collector, taxes, 1906,	91,262 09
A. M. Nims, collector, taxes, street sprinkling,	1,250 00
A. M. Nims, collector, water assessments,	24,409 96
A. M. Nims, desk, sold,	3 00
Frank H. Whitcomb, city clerk, rents, etc.,	5,439 47
Paul F. Babbidge, superintendent, collections,	2,059 22
Walter E. Mason, superintendent, collections,	2,146 25
Joseph F. Emmons, messenger, collections,	62 50
Albert W. Green, messenger,	2,034 50
Lewis W. Holmes, justice, collections,	641 00
Albert W. Green, bell sold,	3 00
State Board of License Commissioners, balance to May, 1906,	543 51
State Board of License Commissioners,	5,626 33
William S. Tuttle, sheriff, fines,	74 82
Edward H. Fletcher, overseer, collections,	3,763 10

Withdrawn from water loan sinking fund, Keene Five Cents Savings Bank,	\$810 13
Withdrawn from water loan sinking fund, Keene Guaranty Savings Bank,	480 60
Benjamin G. Hall, police department collections,	198 90
Leonard Wellington, plumbers' license fees,	6 50
Interest on Minister fund,	155 37
Interest on Simmons and Eastburn fund,	57 29
Interest on cemetery funds,	63 06
Minister fund (div.),	210 86
Jones fund (div.),	5 08
Keyes fund (div.),	5 07
Fletcher fund (div.),	15 22
Packard fund (div.),	15 00
Interest, Ladies' Park fund,	24 66
Interest, Ingersoll Library fund,	24 66
Arthur A. Wallace, superintendent, collections,	1,677 57
Insurance tax,	681 00
Railroad tax,	6,889 06
Savings Bank tax,	3,160 98
Literary fund,	930 25
H. O. Coolidge, (div). Keene Guaranty Savings Bank,	332 51
M. A. Ball fund (div.),	12 93
L. J. Colony fund (div.),	64 71
Simmons and Eastburn fund (div.),	84 11
A. O. Nims fund (div.),	6 47
Firemen's Relief fund (div.),	39 72
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	\$221,464 68

## EXPENDITURES.

Orders outstanding, Dec. 1, 1905,	\$103 88
Ordinary city charges,	9,981 85
City paupers,	1,305 20
County paupers,	3,343 24
Highway department,	12,910 47
Fire department,	6,167 84
Police department,	5,606 55
Water works maintenance,	5,612 89
Maintenance of sewers,	2,104 80
Maintenance of drains,	733 60
Electric street lights,	8,862 17
Support of schools,	39,881 55
Keene Public Library, book account,	1,134 27
Maintenance of Keene Public Library,	1,750 28
Concrete sidewalks,	1,820 58
Macadam,	1,985 62
West Keene sewer system,	9,481 06
Salary of board of education,	240 00
School books and supplies,	3,499 21
County aid to soldiers or their families,	323 25
Parks,	179 42
Cemeteries,	2,539 00
Street sprinkling,	1,282 67
Repairs at police station,	256 49
County tax,	12,464 51
Ladies' Wildwood Park Association,	48 14
Interest on bonds,	6,170 00
Ballot inspectors,	80 00
Board of prisoners at county jail,	487 86
Coolidge annuity,	800 00
Water Loan Sinking fund, reinvested,	1,290 73
Minister fund, reinvested,	210 86
Domestic animals killed by dogs, ex- penses incident to notifying owners, etc.,	64 00
Opera chairs for city hall,	936 75

Memorial exercises,	\$200 00
Purchase of Mark land,	500 00
Payment of sewer bonds,	15,000 00
Free public band concerts,	300 00
Purchase of rubber coats and boots,	99 90
Purchase of horses,	317 52
Collection of garbage,	325 88
Assistance to persons in quarantine and incidental expenses,	333 23
Inspection of Keene Fire Department,	60 00
Income Simmons and Eastburn fund, disbursed,	57 29
Income of Minister fund, disbursed,	155 37
Justus Perry fund, invested,	100 00
Elizabeth E. Keyes fund, invested,	100 00
Steel bridges,	1,513 88
Ticket office for city hall,	98 00
Land damages,	450 00
State tax, 1906,	13,535 00
Elliot City Hospital,	1,000 00
Firemen's Relief fund, dividend rein- vested,	39 72
Simmons and Eastburn fund, dividend reinvested,	84 11
L. J. Colony, dividend on fund reinvested,	64 71
Numbering buildings,	5 25
Indexing Keene cemeteries,	48 25
Balance in treasury, Dec. 1, 1906,	43,668 09
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	\$221,714 94
Less outstanding orders, Dec. 1, 1906,	\$250 26
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	\$221,464 68

## INDEBTEDNESS.

## SEWERAGE BONDS.

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Due.	Rate of Interest.	Amount Due.
1907, July 1,	4 per cent,	\$15,000 00
1908, " "	" "	15,000 00
1909, " "	" "	10,000 00
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		\$40,000 00

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## WATER BONDS, LOAN OF 1887.

Due.	Rate of Interest.	Amount Due.
1910, January 1,	3½ per cent,	\$7,000 00
1911, " "	" "	10,000 00
1912, " "	" "	10,000 00
1913, " "	" "	10,000 00
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		\$37,000 00

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## WATER BONDS, LOAN OF 1891.

Due.	Rate of Interest.	Amount Due.
1913, October 1,	4 per cent,	\$5,000 00
1914, " "	" "	10,000 00
1915, " "	" "	10,000 00
1916, " "	" "	10,000 00
1917, " "	" "	10,000 00
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		\$45,000 00



## WATER BONDS, LOAN OF 1902.

Due.	Rate of Interest.	Amount Due.
1909, July 1,	3½ per cent,	\$5,000 00
1910,     "     "	"     "	5,000 00
1911,     "     "	"     "	5,000 00
1912,     "     "	"     "	5,000 00
1913,     "     "	"     "	5,000 00
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		\$25,000 00
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Total bonded city debt,		\$147,000 00

### ASSETS.

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Due from collector of taxes, 1901,	\$1,053 42
Due from collector of taxes, 1902,	993 22
Due from collector of taxes, 1903,	2,030 07
Due from collector of taxes, 1904,	2,704 81
Due from collector of taxes, 1905,	4,948 69
Due from collector of taxes, 1906,	21,959 40
Water loan sinking fund, Cheshire Provident Institution,	5,322 04
Water loan sinking fund, Keene Five Cents Savings Bank,	2,430 43
Water loan sinking fund, Keene Guaranty Savings Bank, (loss \$1,826.59).	
Water loan sinking fund, Keene Savings Bank,	1,823 25
Water loan sinking fund, Cheshire County Savings Bank,	1,306 99
Balance in hands of treasurer,	43,668 09
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	\$88,240 41

## LIABILITIES.

Hibbard legacy,	\$1,000 00
Faulkner legacy,	2,106 98
Russell fund,	91 80
Gates fund,	30 60
Coolidge fund,	4,056 63
Whitney fund,	30 60
Nims fund,	75 41
Colony fund,	310 59
Ball fund,	150 82
Jones fund,	84 78
Towns fund,	30 60
Keyes fund,	84 77
Ingersoll fund,	153 00
Fletcher fund,	152 25
Bowker fund,	91 80
Packard fund,	150 00
Foster fund,	100 00
Searle fund,	100 00
Thayer and Chapin fund,	5,000 00
Bingham heirs fund,	100 00
John M. Blake fund,	100 00
Austin E. Howard fund,	100 00
Albert Godfrey fund,	100 00
Holbrook fund,	400 00
Gratia S. Reed fund,	100 00
Ralph J. Holt fund,	100 00
Edward Joslin fund,	500 00
Rebecca T. Wilder fund,	100 00
John Symonds fund,	500 00
L. S. Lord fund,	200 00
F. S. Wheeler fund,	100 00
Lora Stratton fund,	100 00
Henry Griffith fund,	100 00

Semira Stearns Cole fund,	\$100 00
Edward Cole Aldrich fund,	100 00
Jennie E. Ball fund,	250 00
Mary E. Watkins fund,	100 00
Asahel Nims fund,	100 00
Walter J. Wheeler fund,	100 00
George Burnap fund,	100 00
C. S. Blodgett fund,	100 00
Addison L. Parker fund,	100 00
Mortimer W. Bond fund,	100 00
Ellen M Lang fund,	200 00
Rachel C. Woodward fund,	100 00
Harvey Phillips fund,	100 00
Ann C. Nims fund,	100 00
Tryphena R. Gustine fund,	200 00
Gordis D. Harris fund,	200 00
Taft and Tyler fund,	100 00
Adams, Perkins and Hayward fund,	300 00
Bial W. Willard fund,	200 00
Elisha W. Willard fund,	100 00
Cheshire County, balance of tax, 1906,	3,000 00
Union school district, balance of appro- priation, 1906,	12,000 00
Collector's salary, balance reserved,	4,000 00
City orders outstanding, Dec. 1, 1906,	250 26
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	\$38,400 89
Balance of assets over liabilities,	49,839 52
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	\$88,240 41

## TRUST FUNDS.

IN CARE OF CITY TREASURER.

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All items marked with a \* are deposited in city treasury at  $3\frac{1}{2}$  per cent.

Items marked "Deposited in Keene Guaranty Savings Bank" enclosed in parentheses indicate loss to these funds of said amount.

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## HIBBARD LEGACY, \$1,000.\*

Deposited with city treasurer. Income used in taking care of Salma Hale lot in cemetery, balance for schools.

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## CHAS. S. FAULKNER LEGACY, \$2,500.

Income used in improving and ornamenting Woodland cemetery.

Cheshire County Savings Bank,	\$393 02
City treasurer,	2,106 98*
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	\$2,500 00

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## SIMMONS AND EASTBURN FUND, \$1,300.

Given by David Simmons and Susan Eastburn. Interest for the relief and comfort of aged and infirm poor of Keene.

Addition given by Julius N. Morse, \$1,000 in 1896.

Deposited in Keene Guaranty Savings Bank,	(\$319 65)
Cheshire County Savings Bank,	1,000 00
Keene Savings Bank,	980 35
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	\$2,300 00

## MINISTER FUND, \$4,155.

Derived from sale of wood on "minister" lot. Interest divided annually among the clergymen of Keene.

Deposited in Keene Five Cents Savings

Bank,	\$632 61	
Cheshire County Savings Bank,	1,100 66	
Keene Savings Bank,	2,421 73	
	<hr/>	\$4,155 00

## RUSSELL FUND, \$300.

Interest used in taking care of Lucinda Russell lot in cemetery, balance for improving and ornamenting Woodland cemetery.

Deposited in Cheshire Provident Institution,

Deposited in Cheshire County Saving Bank,

Deposited with city treasurer,

\$61 20

153 00

91 80\*

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\$306 00

## FIREMEN'S RELIEF FUND, \$654.54.

Interest to be used under direction of officers of fire department for relief of firemen injured in discharge of duty.

Deposited in Keene Guaranty Savings

Bank, (\$150 98)

Keene Savings Bank, 553 23

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\$704 21

## GATES FUND, \$100.

Interest to be used in taking care of the "Rufus Gates lot," and balance in improving Woodland cemetery.



Deposited in Cheshire Provident Institution,	\$20 40	
Deposited in Cheshire County Savings Bank,	51 00	
Deposited with city treasurer,	30 60*	
	<hr/>	\$102 00

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COOLIDGE FUND, \$5,320.17.

Principal to be used toward building or furnishing a public library building.

Deposited in Keene Guaranty Savings Bank,	(\$1,263 54)	
In hands of the city,	4,056 63	
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WHITNEY FUND, \$100.

Interest to be used annually in improving lot No. 266 in Greenlawn cemetery.

Deposited in Cheshire Provident Institution,	\$20 40	
Deposited in Cheshire County Savings Bank,	51 00	
In hands of the city,	30 60*	
	<hr/>	\$102 00

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NIMS FUND, \$100.

Deposited in Keene Guaranty Savings Bank. Interest to be used in taking care of the "Dauphin W. Nims lot," and balance in improving Greenlawn cemetery.

Deposited in the Keene Guaranty Savings Bank,	(\$24 59)	
In city treasury,	75 41*	
	<hr/>	\$100 00

## L. J. COLONY LEGACY, \$1,000.

Interest to be used annually in taking care of the lots of Lewis J. Colony and Joshua D. Colony, in Woodland cemetery, and balance for the general improvement of said cemetery.

Deposited in Keene Guaranty Savings

Bank,	(\$245 88)
Keene Savings Bank,	443 53
In city treasury,	310 59*
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	\$1,000 00

## BALL FUND, \$200.

Deposited in Keene Guaranty Savings Bank. Interest to be used in taking care of the "Geo. W. Ball lot," in Woodland cemetery, and the "John Grimes and Mary Grimes Stearns lot," in West Keene cemetery, and balance in improving Woodland and West Keene cemeteries.

Deposited in Keene Guaranty Savings

Bank,	(\$49 18)
In city treasury,	150 82*
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	\$200 00

## JONES FUND, \$100.

Deposited in Keene Five Cents Savings Bank. Interest to be used in taking care of the "Ashley Jones lot," in Woodland cemetery, and the balance for such repairs and improvements as the city councils may direct.

Deposited in Keene Five Cents Savings

Bank,	\$15 22
In city treasury,	84 78*
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	\$100 00

## TOWNS FUND, \$100.

Interest to be used, so far as needed, for the care of the "John Towns lot," in Woodland cemetery, and balance for repairs and improvements of said cemetery.

Deposited in Cheshire Provident Institution,	\$20 40	
Deposited in Cheshire County Savings Bank,	51 00	
Deposited with city treasurer,	30 60*	
	<hr/>	\$102 00

## KEYES FUND, \$100.

Deposited in Keene Five Cents Savings Bank. Interest to be used, so much as is needed, for the care of the "Zebadiah Keyes lot," in Washington street cemetery, and the "Harvey A. Bill lot," in Woodland cemetery, and balance for repairs and improvements in said cemeteries.

Deposited in Keene Five Cents Savings Bank,	\$15 23	
In city treasury,	84 77*	
	<hr/>	\$100 00

## INGERSOLL LEGACIES.

## PUBLIC LIBRARY FUND, \$1,000.

Interest to be used annually for the purchase of books for the public library, said books to be labeled, "From the Ingersoll Donation."

Deposited in Cheshire Provident Institution,	\$204 00	
Deposited in Cheshire County Savings Bank,	816 00	
	<hr/>	\$1,020 00

## LADIES' PARK FUND, \$1,000.

Interest to be used annually for the care of the Ladies' park, under the direction of a committee of the Park Association, for a term of twenty-five years.

Deposited in Cheshire Provident Institution,	\$204 00
Deposited in Cheshire County Savings Bank,	816 00
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	\$1,020 00

## CEMETERY FUND.

Interest to be used annually in the care of the "Ingersoll burial lots," in the old cemetery on Washington street.

Deposited in Cheshire Provident Institution,	\$102 00
Deposited in Cheshire County Savings Bank,	255 00
Deposited with city treasurer,	153 00*
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	\$510 00

## FLETCHER FUND, \$300.

Interest to be used, as far as needed, for the care and adorning of the "Fletcher lot," in Greenlawn cemetery and balance for the improvement of said cemetery.

Deposited in Keene Five Cents Savings Bank,	\$45 68
Keene Savings Bank,	102 07
Deposited with city treasurer,	152 25*
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	\$300 00

## BOWKER FUND, \$300.

Interest to be used in taking care of the "Bowker lot," in Woodland cemetery and the monument erected on the said lot.

Deposited in Cheshire Provident Institution,	\$61 20
Deposited in Cheshire County Savings Bank,	153 00
Deposited with city treasurer,	91 80*
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	\$306 00

### PACKARD FUND, \$300.

Interest to be used in care of the "Packard lot," in Woodland cemetery, and "Vose lot," in Washington street cemetery, and purchase of flowers for the same, and the balance, if any, may be paid to the G. A. R. for the decoration of soldiers' graves, or expended as the city may direct.

Deposited in Keene Five Cents Savings Bank,	\$45 00
Deposited in Cheshire County Savings Bank,	105 00
In city treasury,	150 00
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	\$300 00

### FOSTER FUND, \$100.\*

Deposited with city treasurer. Interest to be used in taking care of the lot in Woodland cemetery in which she and her husband are buried.

### WOODBURY FUND, \$300.

Deposited in the Keene National Bank. Interest to be used in taking care of his cemetery lot in Greenlawn cemetery.

Keene Savings Bank,	\$300 00
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## SEARLE FUND, \$100.

Deposited with city treasurer. Interest to be used in taking care of his cemetery lot in Washington street cemetery.

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## THURSTON FUND, \$100.

Certificate of deposit in the Cheshire National Bank. Interest to be used in taking care of his cemetery lot in Greenlawn cemetery.

Keene Savings Bank,

\$100 00

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## THAYER AND CHAPIN FUND, \$5,000.\*

Deposited with city treasurer. Interest to be used for the purchase of books for the Keene Public Library, by the trustees.

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## BINGHAM HEIRS' FUND, \$100.\*

Deposited with city treasurer. Interest to be used in taking care of Warren and Charles W. Bingham lot in Woodland cemetery.

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## JOHN M. BLAKE FUND, \$100.\*

Deposited with city treasurer. Interest to be used in taking care of lot in Greenlawn cemetery.

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## AUSTIN E. HOWARD FUND, \$100.\*

Income to be used in taking care of the Austin E. Howard lot in Woodland cemetery.



## ALBERT GODFREY FUND, \$100.\*

Income to be used in taking care of the Albert Godfrey lot in Woodland cemetery.

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## HOLBROOK FUND, \$400.\*

Income to be used in taking care of the Samuel Robinson lot in Woodland cemetery, and the lot of George W. Holbrook in Greenlawn cemetery.

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## POLICE BENEVOLENT FUND, \$500.

Income to be used for the relief of the police of Keene, injured in discharge of duty.

Keene Savings Bank,

\$570 07

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## GRATIA S. REED FUND, \$100.\*

Income to be used for care of lot in North cemetery.

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## RALPH J. HOLT FUND, \$100.\*

Income to be used for care of lot in Woodland cemetery.

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## EDWARD JOSLIN FUND, \$500.\*

Income to be used for care of lot in Greenlawn cemetery, and surplus, if any, in general care of said cemetery.

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## REBECCA T. WILDER FUND, \$100.\*

Income to be used in care of family lot in West cemetery.

## JOHN SYMONDS FUND, \$500.\*

Income to be used for care of lot in Woodland cemetery.

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## L. S. LORD FUND, \$200.\*

Income to be used for the care and repair of lot in Woodland cemetery.

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## F. S. WHEELER FUND, \$100.\*

Income to be used for the care and repair of the Wheeler lot in Woodland cemetery.

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## LORA STRATTON FUND, \$100.\*

Income to be used for the care of the Clark Dodge lot in Woodland cemetery.

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## HENRY GRIFFITH FUND, \$100.\*

Income to be used for the care of lot in Woodland cemetery, where Henry Griffith is buried.

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## SEMIRA STEARNS COLE FUND, \$100.\*

Income to be used for the care of lot No. 22, in section 8, Woodland cemetery.

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## EDWARD COLE ALDRICH FUND, \$100.\*

Income to be used for the care of lot No. 34, in Greenlawn cemetery.

## JENNIE E. BALL FUND, \$250.\*

Income to be used for the care of lot in Woodland cemetery.

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## WALTER J. WHEELER FUND, \$100.\*

Income to be used in keeping in repair lot No. 19, section 2, Woodland cemetery.

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## GEORGE BURNAP FUND, \$100.\*

Income to be used in keeping in repair the Burnap lot in Woodland cemetery.

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## MARY E. WATKINS FUND, \$100.\*

Income to be used in the care and adornment of the Stillman French lot in Woodland cemetery.

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## ASAHEL NIMS FUND, \$100.\*

Income to be used in the care of the Nims lot, No. 17, section 4, Woodland cemetery.

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## C. S. BLODGETT FUND, \$100.\*

Income to be used in the care of lot No. 22, in section No. 1, Woodland cemetery.

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## ADDISON L. PARKER FUND, \$100.\*

Income to be used in the care of the Addison L. Parker lot in Woodland cemetery.

## MORTIMER W. BOND FUND, \$100.\*

Income to be used in care of lot No. 199, Greenlawn cemetery.

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## ELLEN M. LANG FUND, \$200.\*

Income to be used in care of lot No. 18, section 4, Woodland cemetery.

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## RACHEL C. WOODWARD FUND, \$100.\*

Income to be used in the care of her lot in Woodland cemetery.

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## HARVEY PHILLIPS FUND, \$100.\*

Income to be used in care of the Harvey Phillips lot in Woodland cemetery.

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## ANN C. NIMS FUND, \$100.\*

Income to be used in care of the Ann C. Nims lot in Woodland cemetery.

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## TRYPHENA R. GUSTINE FUND, \$200.\*

Income to be used in care of the Thomas and Matthews lot, No. 22, in section No. 3, Woodland cemetery.

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## GORDIS D. HARRIS FUND, \$200.\*

Income to be used in care of the Gordis D. Harris lot in Woodland cemetery.

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## TAFT AND TYLER FUND, \$100.\*

Income to be used in care of lot No. 334, in Greenlawn cemetery.

## ADAMS, PERKINS AND HAYWARD FUND, \$300.\*

Income to be used in care of the Charles G. Adams lot, the Richard S. Perkins lot, and the Lemuel Hayward lot, numbered 31, 32 and 33, respectively, in section No. 10, Woodland cemetery.

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## BIAL W. WILLARD FUND, \$200.\*

Income to be used in the care of the Henry Willard and the William R. Marsh lots, in Woodland cemetery.

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## ELISHA W. WILLARD FUND, \$100.\*

Income to be used in care of the grave of his sister, Mary Willard, who was buried in 1827.

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## JUSTUS PERRY FUND, \$100.

Income to be used in care of lot No. 45, in section No. 5, Woodland cemetery.

Deposited in Keene Savings Bank, \$100 00

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## ELIZABETH E. KEYES FUND, \$100.

Income to be used in care of lot in section No. 65, Washington street cemetery.

Deposited in Cheshire County Savings Bank, \$100 00

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## HORATIO KIMBALL FUND, \$200.

Income to be used in care of lot No. 17, section No. 6, in Woodland cemetery.

Invested in two 4% U. S. Government bonds, \$200 00

## PROPERTY BELONGING TO THE CITY.

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City water works,	\$225,000 00
Lands at Echo lake and Beech hill,	6,000 00
City hall building,	40,000 00
Thayer library building,	25,000 00
Fire department,	14,000 00
Land and buildings, Vernon street,	10,000 00
Perry place, Coolidge park,	15,500 00
City pasture,	2,000 00
Stone quarry and land,	100 00
Portable stone crusher,	2,000 00
Water works, stock and tools,	3,000 00
Highway tools, horses and steam road roller,	3,500 00
Sprinklers,	1,000 00
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	\$347,100 00



1906.

Valuation of the city,	\$7,166,210 00
Tax assessed for the year,	114,659 36
Rate of taxation, \$1.60 per \$100.	
State tax,	13,535 00
County tax,	12,464 51
School tax required by law,	20,302 50
City tax,	52,000 00
Union school district tax,	13,790 00
Increase in valuation,	145,539 00
Increase in number of polls,	39
Number of scholars, from 5 to 16 years,	1859
Increase in number of scholars from 5 to 16 years,	17

POLLS, VALUATION AND TAXES ASSESSED FROM 1874 TO 1906  
INCLUSIVE.

Year.	No. Polls.	Valuation.	Rate of taxation per \$100.	Additional in U. S. D. per \$100.	Additional in C. S. D. per \$100.	Taxes.
1874	1919	\$4,298,386.00	\$1.36	\$0.04		\$61,065.27
1875	1789	4,676,117.00	1.12	.28		67,354.78
1876	1813	5,737,350.00	1.00	.25		72,341.30
1877	1842	4,852,664.00	1.08	.30		75,961.25
1878	1815	5,366,918.00	1.10	.30		75,639.77
1879	1717	5,081,876.00	.83	.22		62,521.84
1880	1802	5,757,752.00	1.00	.02		60,758.18
1881	1842	5,671,628.00	1.09	.03		70,601.40
1882	1900	5,849,418.00	1.05	.04		67,430.85
1883	1908	5,936,182.00	1.15	.05		73,909.11
1884	1795	5,922,043.00	1.15	.03		72,281.96
1885	1869	5,849,292.00	1.10	.12		72,910.08
1886	1845	5,938,529.00	1.15	.13		77,764.66
1887	1961	5,950,822.00	1.15			70,894.98
1888	1999	6,089,996.00	1.20	.075	\$0.06	80,105.80
1889	2075	6,096,732.00	1.20	.10	.05	81,688.24
1890	2046	6,117,404.00	1.30	.16	.08	91,870.91
1891	2126	6,051,111.00	1.25	.095	.08	84,153.70
1892	2027	6,156,366.00	1.25	.125	.02	86,895.93
1893	2051	6,259,608.00	1.25	.14	.05	89,400.98
1894	2032	6,280,468.00	1.25	.085	.03	82,235.04
1895	2090	6,223,142.00	1.15	.15	.10	83,393.75
1896	2173	6,293,686.00	1.35	.175	.06	99,341.97
1897	2173	6,266,894.00	1.35	.145	.025	96,434.73
1898	2274	6,283,854.00	1.35	.145		96,699.49
1899	2276	6,285,466.00	1.35	.125	.05	95,775.89
1900	2297	6,305,182.00	1.40	.18		102,363.28
1901	2415	6,392,250.00	1.40	.17		103,314.97
1902	2505	6,537,616.00	1.45	.18	.01	109,777.23
1903	2471	6,604,180.00	1.45	.18		110,731.56
1904	2454	6,949,862.00	1.55			107,722.86
1905	2502	7,020,671.00	1.55			108,820.40
1906	2541	7,166,210.00	1.60			114,659.36

## ESTIMATED EXPENSES FOR 1907.

*To the City Councils of the City of Keene :*

The joint standing committee on finance present the following estimates of the amount of money necessary to be raised the ensuing year, and respectfully recommend that \$54,000 of the amount be raised by taxation, and the remainder be paid from any balance in the treasury.

Ordinary city charges,	\$7,500 00
City paupers,	1,000 00
Highway and bridges,	12,000 00
Macadam,	2,000 00
Fire department,	6,000 00
Police department,	5,500 00
Street lights,	9,000 00
Public library books, .	500 00
Public library expense,	2,000 00
Memorial services,	200 00
Interest on sewer bonds,	1,600 00
Interest on water bonds, loan of 1887,	1,295 00
Interest on water bonds, loan of 1891,	1,800 00
Interest on water bonds, loan of 1902,	875 00
Payment of sewer bonds,	15,000 00
Public parks,	200 00
H. O. Coolidge annuity,	800 00
School books and supplies,	4,000 00
Elliot city hospital,	500 00
Interest on Thayer and Chapin fund,	175 00
Cemetery department,	300 00
Board of education,	240 00
Sewer department,	1,000 00
Drain department,	1,000 00
Interest on cemetery funds in treasury,	353 29
Inspection of Keene fire department,	60 00
Concrete repairs,	1,000 00
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	\$75,898 29

We certify that we have examined the accounts of the city treasurer and city clerk, and find the same correctly kept and properly vouched.

MARTIN V. B. CLARK,

ARTHUR L. WRIGHT,

FRED F. PAGE,

FERDINAND D. RODENBUSH,

Joint Standing Committee on Finance.

December 6, 1906.

Former Union District:	Present Union District:
Boys.....818	Boys.....908
Girls .....844	Girls .....951
Suburban District:	
Boys..... 90	
Girls .....107	
1859	
Number of children, school age, 1906,	1859
Number of children, school age, 1905,	1842
Gain,	17

## ELECTRIC LIGHTS.

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The Citizens' Electric Company now have the following incandescent and arc lamps located in the city of Keene.

### INCANDESCENT LIGHTS.

No.

1. At Main st. bridge.
2. At city storehouse, Main st.
3. At Beaver brook bridge, Main st.
4. Corner Baker and Adams sts.
5. Corner Gates and Adams sts.
6. Opposite No. 31 Elliot st.
7. Corner Marlboro and South sts.
8. Half way across South st.
9. Kelleher st. at the end.
10. Corner Dartmouth and Marlboro sts.
11. Corner Baker and Marlboro sts.
12. Corner Foster and Gardner sts.
13. Corner Myrtle and Foster sts.
14. Corner Grove and Myrtle sts.
15. Corner Marlboro and Willow sts.
16. At the angle in Willow st.
17. Opposite No. 21 Water st.
18. Corner Water and Willow sts.
19. Opposite No. 31 Dunbar st.
20. At the end of Dunbar st.
21. Corner South Lincoln and Water sts.
22. Corner Eastern Ave. and Water st.
23. Corner Fowler and Carpenter sts.

24. Corner Valley and Kingsbury sts.
25. On South Lincoln, half way between Water and Church sts.
26. At the bend in Wilber st.
27. Corner Valley and Church sts.
28. Half way between Beaver and Roxbury on South Lincoln st.
29. Corner Oak and Roxbury sts.
30. On Terrace st.
31. Corner Oak and Beaver sts.
32. Corner North Lincoln and Beaver sts.
33. Corner Grant and Beaver sts.
34. Corner Roxbury and Grant sts.
35. At the end of North Douglass st.
36. Corner Beaver and Douglass sts.
37. On Douglass st., between Beaver and Roxbury sts.
38. Corner Beaver and Beach sts.
39. Between Beaver and Roxbury on Beach st.
40. Corner Roxbury and Dover sts.
41. Corner Gurnsey and Roxbury sts.
42. Between Spring and Beaver sts. on Franklin.
43. Corner Beaver and Franklin sts.
44. On Brooks between Beaver and Spring sts.
45. Corner Beaver and Damon court.
46. Corner Spring and Brooks sts.
47. Corner Spring and Towns sts.
48. Corner Taylor and Towns sts.
49. On Spring between Washington and Towns sts.
50. On corner of Roxbury st. and Norway Ave.
51. On Roxbury st. between Norway Ave. and Central square.
52. Rear of city hall.
53. Northeast corner of city hall.
54. Between city hall and Stone's block.
55. Corner of Church and Main sts.
56. On Church, rear of E. F. L. block.
57. On Railroad st. opposite Keene Screen Co.



58. On Washington at the corner of Union st.
59. On Washington at the corner of Pine st.
60. On Washington at the corner of High st.
61. At the end of Greenlawn st.
62. At the end of Cottage st.
63. On Washington st. half way between Gilsum and Washington Ave.
64. Corner of Washington Ave. and Washington st.
65. Corner of Washington and George sts.
66. Corner George and Knight sts.
67. Corner George and Sullivan sts.
68. Corner George and Rule sts.
69. Corner Giffin and Sullivan sts.
70. Opposite No. 54 Sullivan st.
71. Opposite No. 77 Sullivan st.
72. Corner Washington st. and Concord road.
73. Opposite the Monadnock Stocking Co., on Washington st.
74. Washington st. opposite the soap shop.
75. Corner Giffin and Washington sts.
76. Corner Giffin and Knight sts.
77. Corner Washington Ave. and Ellis court.
78. Corner Gilsum st. opposite jail pond.
79. Corner Howard and Gilsum sts.
80. On Carroll st. opposite No. 154 Gilsum st.
81. Corner Spruce and Howard sts.
82. Corner Maple and Howard sts.
83. Half way between Howard and Washington on Coolidge st.
84. Corner Cross and Howard sts.
85. At the angle on Pine st.
86. Corner Union and Elm sts.
87. Corner Pleasant and Mechanic sts.
88. On Pleasant between Union and Mechanic sts.
89. Rear of fire station.
90. Corner of Vernon and Court sts.
91. Opposite No. 21 Carroll st.

92. Corner Carroll and High sts.
93. Opposite No. 80 Carroll st.
94. Corner Chestnut and Elm sts.
95. Corner Spruce and Elm sts.
96. Corner North and Elm sts.
97. At the end of Armory.
98. Corner Spruce and Armory sts.
99. Corner Baldwin and Armory sts.
100. Corner Forest and Prospect sts.
101. Half way between Spruce and Baldwin sts. on Forest st.
102. At the angle of Forest st.
103. Corner Court and Forest sts.
104. Corner North and Court sts.
105. Corner Portland and Woodburn sts.
106. Corner Woodburn and Perham sts.
107. Corner Leverett and Barker sts.
108. Corner School and Castle sts.
109. Corner Barker and Castle sts.
110. Corner River and Castle sts.
111. Corner Park and Colorado sts.
112. On Colorado st. between Park and West sts.
113. On Colorado st. between Park and West sts.
114. Corner of Ashuelot and Park sts.
115. Half way on Ashuelot st. between Park and West sts.
116. Corner West and Ashuelot sts.
117. Corner West and Colorado sts.
118. Corner School and Winter sts.
119. On Winter st. opposite No. 61 Winter st.
120. Corner Summer and Middle sts.
121. Center of Center st.
122. On West st. opposite Thayer library building.
123. On West st. opposite Y. M. C. A. building.
124. End of St. James st.
125. Railroad square on passenger station.
126. Main st. corner Sentinel building.

127. Corner Wilson and Commercial sts.
128. Opposite Fairmont House on Emerald st.
129. Corner Wilson and Emerald sts.
130. On Emerald st. opposite Cheshire Beef Co.
131. Corner Emerald and Ralston sts.
132. Corner Davis and Ralston sts.
133. Corner Wilson and Winchester sts.
134. Corner Winchester and Madison sts.
135. Corner Madison st. and Appian Way.
136. On Appian Way one-third the distance from Madison to Main st.
137. On Appian Way opposite Thayer & Collins' mill.
138. At the end of Butler court.
139. Winchester st. at the bridge.
140. Island st. at the bridge.
141. Island st. half way from the bridge to railroad.
142. Island st. at the railroad crossing.
143. Pearl st. at the bend.
144. Pearl st. half way from the bend to Winchester st.
145. Pearl st. at the corner of the Meadow road.
146. Pearl st. at the railroad crossing.
147. At the end of Richardson court.
148. West st. at the bridge.
149. From Pearl to McKinley st. on West st.
150. From Pearl to McKinley st. on West st.
151. From Pearl to McKinley st. on West st.
152. From Pearl to McKinley st. on West st.
153. West st. opposite Chas. Johnson place No. 576.
154. West st. opposite No. 573.
155. On Park Ave. opposite No. 20.
156. On corner of Russell st.
157. On Park Ave. opposite No. 61.
158. At the corner of Park Ave. and Arch st.
159. On Park Ave. opposite Wheelock Park entrance.
160. On Park Ave. half way from Wheelock Park entrance to white house.
161. Park Ave. at the white house.

162. On Arch st. from Park Ave. to Wilson's mill.
163. On Arch st. from Park Ave. to Wilson's mill.
164. On Arch st. from Park Ave. to Wilson's mill.
165. On Arch st. from Park Ave. to Wilson's mill.
166. On Arch st. from Park Ave. to Wilson's mill.
167. On Arch st. from Park Ave. to Wilson's mill.
168. On Arch st. from Park Ave. to Wilson's mill.
169. Corner Wheelock st. and Pine Ave.
170. Corner Pine and Roosevelt sts.
171. Corner Roosevelt and Russell sts.
172. Corner Wheelock and Russell sts.
173. Corner Russell and McKinley sts.
174. Corner Roosevelt and Fairview sts.
175. Corner Fairview and McKinley sts.
176. Half way on Fairview st. from Roosevelt st. to McKinley st.

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#### ARCS.

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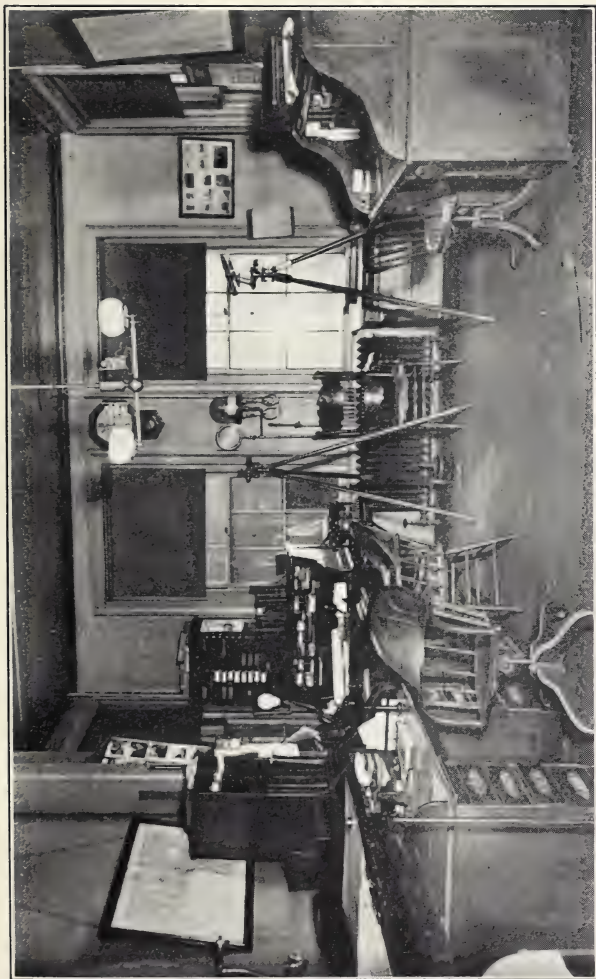
1. At lower end of Main st. at the Branch bridge.
2. On Main st. opposite No. 441.
3. Corner of Baker and Main sts.
4. Corner of Gates and Main sts.
5. Corner of Elliot and Main sts.
6. Corner of Winchester and Main sts.
7. Corner of Water and Main sts.
8. Corner of Emerald and Main sts.
9. Corner of Commercial and Main sts.
10. On Main st. opposite Church st.
11. On Main st. opposite West st.
12. On Main st. opposite Roxbury st.
13. On the Square at Court st.
14. On the Square at the First church.
15. On the Square at Washington st.
16. Corner of Vernon and Washington sts.
17. Corner of Mechanic and Washington sts.

18. Corner of Beaver and Washington sts.
19. Corner of Cross and Washington sts.
20. Corner of Washington and Gilsum sts.
21. Corner of High and Howard sts.
22. Corner of High and Elm sts.
23. Corner of Cross and Elm sts.
24. Corner of Green and Elm sts.
25. Corner of Mechanic and Elm sts.
26. Corner of Vernon and Elm sts.
27. Corner of Page and Beaver sts.
28. Corner of Beaver and Dover sts.
29. Corner of Franklin and Spring sts.
30. Corner of Roxbury and Harrison sts.
31. Corner of Roxbury and Beech sts.
32. Corner of Roxbury and Lincoln sts.
33. Corner of Church and Lincoln sts.
34. Corner of Church and Edwards sts.
35. Corner of Church and Harrison sts.
36. Corner of Church st. and Norway Ave.
37. Corner of Church and Wells sts.
38. In the Beaver Mills yard.
39. Corner of Valley and Water sts.
40. On Water st. at the railroad.
41. Half way up Dunbar st.
42. Corner of Wilson and Davis sts.
43. Corner of Winchester st. and Butler court.
44. Corner of Winchester and Pearl sts.
45. Corner of McKinley and West sts.
46. Corner of Pearl and West sts.
47. Corner of Island and West sts.
48. On West st. opposite No. 171.
49. Corner of West and School sts.
50. Corner of St. James and West sts.
51. Corner of Winter and School sts.
52. Corner of Summer and School sts.
53. Corner of School and Leverett sts.
54. Corner of Summer and Court sts.

55. On Court st. opposite No. 91.
56. Corner of School and Court sts.
57. Corner of Cross and Court sts.
58. Corner of High and Court sts.
59. Corner of Portland and Court sts.
60. Corner of Prospect and Court sts.
61. On Roxbury st. opposite Nims' stable.
62. On Marlboro at Kelleher st.
63. Corner of Marlboro and Grove sts.
64. On Marlboro st. opposite No. 47.
65. Corner of Marlboro and Main sts.
66. Corner of Carpenter and Water sts.







OFFICE — WATER, SEWER AND DRAIN DEPARTMENT.



# Water Works, Sewers and Drains.

## WATER COMMISSIONERS, 1870-1906.

COL. ROBERT WILSON, . . . . .	1870.
CHESTER NIMS, . . . . .	1870, 1871.
JOHN HUMPHREY, . . . . .	1870, 1871, 1876 to June 1, 1888.
S. A. GEROULD, . . . . .	1870.
D. A. HOLBROOK, . . . . .	1870, 1872, 1876 to 1882.
GEO. W. SAWYER, . . . . .	1871, 1875.
CURTIS E. WILLARD, . . . . .	1872.
HOSEA FOSTER, . . . . .	1872, 1873.
W. P. COCHRAN, . . . . .	1873.
S. O. GATES, . . . . .	1873.
L. P. ALDEN, . . . . .	1873.
HENRY COLONY, . . . . .	1875.
EDWARD JOSLIN, . . . . .	1875 to 1880.
N. G. GURNSEY, . . . . .	1881. Now in office.
E. S. FOSTER, . . . . .	1883 to June 1, 1892.
GEO. W. FISHER, . . . . .	1888. Now in office.
C. M. NORWOOD, . . . . .	1892. Now in office.

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## SUPERINTENDENTS, 1870-1906.

D. H. HOLBROOK, . . . . .	1870, 1872, 1875 to June 10, 1876.
GEO. HOLMES, . . . . .	1871.
S. O. GATES, . . . . .	1873.
HORACE ADAMS, . . . . .	1874.
LEWIS HOLMES, . . . . .	From June 10, 1876 to 1878.
GEO. F. SANBORN, . . . . .	1879.
D. H. SAWYER, . . . . .	1880 to June 18, 1888.
PAUL F. BABIDGE, . . . . .	June 18, 1888. Now in office.

## BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS.

N. G. GURNSEY, CHAIRMAN.

G. W. FISHER, CLERK.

C. M. NORWOOD.

*Office Hours: 7:30 to 9 p. m., Saturdays.*

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## SUPERINTENDENT.

PAUL F. BABBDIGE.

OFFICE, CITY HALL.

*Telephone call, 226-13.*

*Residence, 375 Main St.*

*Telephone call, 225-3.*

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## ASSISTANT.

JOHN A. DENISON.

*Residence, 64 Pine St.*

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## INSPECTOR.

DAVID W. MITCHELL.

*Telephone call, 23-22.*



## WATER WORKS, SEWERS AND DRAINS.

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THIRTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF WATER DEPARTMENT,  
 TWENTY-THIRD ANNUAL REPORT OF SEWER DEPARTMENT,  
 NINTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DRAIN DEPARTMENT,  
 AND THE  
 SEVENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE INSPECTOR OF PLUMBING.

BY THE COMMISSIONERS.

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*To the City Councils:*

Gentlemen,—We herewith forward the thirty-seventh annual report of the superintendent of the water department, the twenty-third annual report of the superintendent of the sewer department, the ninth annual report of the superintendent of the drain department, and the seventh annual report of the inspector of plumbing.

The financial account for the year is as follows:

Assessments and arrearages as given to		
the collector,		\$30,993 56
Amount collected,	\$23,834 16	
Amount of discount,	4,573 16	
Amount abated,	399 12	
Amount unpaid,	2,187 12	
		\$30,993 56

Earnings for the year are as follows:

Assessments Nos. 73 and 74,	\$23,359 43
Meters,	5,772 52
Cash for labor and stock,	1,282 38
Cash for ice and pasture,	215 00
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	\$30,629 33
Less advance discounts,	\$4,573 16
Less abatements,	399 12
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	\$4,972 28
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Gross earnings,	\$25,657 05
Maintenance,	2,003 22
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Net earnings,	\$23,653 83

A statement, in detail, of the work done in the several departments during the year will be found in the report of the superintendent, which is herewith transmitted.

While the city has had an ample supply of water, of a quality which is not considered injurious to health, numerous justifiable complaints have been received of the disagreeable odor and taste of the water, during the months of October and November, the trouble existing up to the present time. This trouble is due to the fact that it has been found necessary, since about the first of October, to draw quite a percentage of the supply from Sylvan lake in order to maintain the desired pressure. We therefore advise that special consideration be given the recommendation of the superintendent which refers to increased storage capacity at Echo lake. This matter of raising the dam at Echo lake has, we think, been considered essential in order to get the full benefit from the Roxbury supply, and as we now have pipe of ample capacity to bring in the water, it would seem that the interests of the city demand that we should store as much as possible of this

always excellent supply. While we fully endorse all of the recommendations of the superintendent, we have considered the one above referred to as of the first importance.

Although the gross receipts of the water department are slightly less than last year, owing to reduction in maintenance account the net income shows a slight increase.

Respectfully submitted,

N. G. GURNSEY,  
GEO. W. FISHER,  
CHARLES M. NORWOOD,  
Water, Sewer and Drain Commissioners.

## SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

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*To the Board of Water, Sewer and Drain Commissioners:*

Gentlemen.—I herewith submit the thirty-seventh annual report of the water department, the twenty-third annual report of the sewer department, the ninth annual report of the drain department, and the seventh annual report of the inspector of plumbing, for the year ending December 1, 1906.

### WATER DEPARTMENT.

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#### SERVICE PIPES.

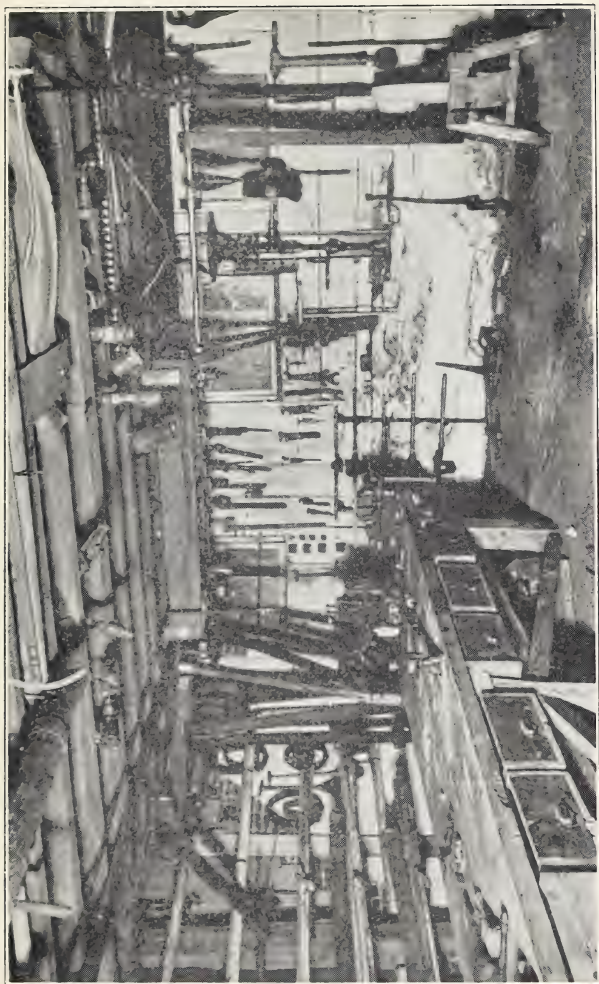
Reported Dec. 1, 1905,	1,912	
Additions to Dec. 1, 1906,	19	
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Whole number Dec. 1, 1906,		1,931

#### ASSESSMENTS.

Number seventy-three,	\$11,290 40	
Number seventy-four,	12,069 03	
Meters,	5,772 52	
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		\$29,139 95
Uncollected Dec. 1, 1906,		\$2,187 12

## MAINTENANCE.

Paid N. G. Gurnsey, salary as commissioner,	\$25 00
Geo. W. Fisher, salary as commissioner,	25 00
C. M. Norwood, salary as commissioner,	25 00
Paul F. Babbidge, salary as superintendent,	800 04
Pay roll, labor,	2,206 94
G. C. Wright, goods,	1 56
G. H. Eames, grain,	24 13
H. W. Hubbard, goods,	86 34
Beaver Mills, wood,	85
Knowlton & Stone, goods,	131 69
J. H. Spencer, shoeing,	11 20
G. M. Rossman, goods,	7 38
G. C. Gilchrist, goods,	33 28
C. H. Bridgman, goods,	1 21
D. R. & F. A. Cole, grain,	50 00
J. Cushing & Co., grain,	16 25
J. D. Colony & Son, printing,	21 75
Thompson Meter Co., repairs,	39 86
A. B. Skinner Co., goods,	7 19
J. H. Cunningham, goods,	624 60
W. F. Harris, repairs,	1 50
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight,	40 11
Keene Auto Co., oil,	3 40
Spencer & Co., goods,	3 75
F. F. Wilcox, repairs,	40
Geo. Poole, turning,	50
Saunders & Gorman, shoeing,	4 25
V. E. Hudson, lettering,	1 00
L. J. Colony Est., hay,	20 00
C. P. Bugbee, services,	1 50
Nims, Whitney & Co., lumber,	15 93
D. McGregor, harness,	34 00



A CORNER IN THE WORKSHOP.





Paid G. H. Tilden, goods,	\$2 00
R. Ray, repairs,	16 70
R. M. Lawrence, teams,	7 50
Pearson Bros., goods,	111 50
National Meter Co., meters,	14 05
Kirk & Sewall, goods,	6 00
Walworth Mfg. Co., goods,	18 54
E. H. Fletcher, hay,	13 05
Donaldson Iron Co., pipe,	378 72
C. M. Cummings, rubber boots,	3 00
G. B. Robertson, repairs,	34 15
Glauber Brass Works, goods,	57 48
A. E. Barnard, repairs,	5 30
Edson Mfg. Co., goods,	6 89
L. W. Safford, hay,	9 08
Armstrong Mfg. Co., key,	52
Ludlow Valve Mfg. Co., goods,	49 50
Perran Seamans Co., braces,	36 00
Carter, Rice & Co., goods,	4 00
W. H. Spalter, goods,	5 17
Sentinel Printing Co., printing,	26 50
L. M. Willard, goods,	1 80
S. Wadsworth, services,	3 45
Levi Allen, land damage,	15 00
F. C. Tilton & Co., goods,	7 50
Chadwick Boston Lead Co., lead,	81 36
Mary Hall estate, rebate,	2 40
Sumner & Gerald, goods,	33 99
Highway department, work,	16 00
Town of Nelson, taxes,	10 50
Town of Roxbury, taxes,	335 12
Thomas Mfg. Co., goods,	4 11
J. P. Wellman, stamped envelopes,	8 00
F. C. & L. A. Nims, teams,	6 00
E. A. Palmer, goods,	1 20
J. H. Brown, stop and waste,	1 50
G. A. Taylor & Co., goods,	13 70

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\$5,612 89

## CR.

By stock and labor on extensions,	\$460 51
Stock and labor on reconstruction,	818 71
Stock and labor on meters,	485 57
Stock and labor on drains,	300 00
Stock and labor on inspection,	150 00
Cash received for stock and labor,	1,282 38
Stock on hand,	112 50
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	\$3,609 67
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	\$2,003 22

## WATER EXTENSION, 1906.

## WASHINGTON STREET.

Pipe, lead, etc.,	\$315 75
Labor,	144 76
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	\$460 51

## RECONSTRUCTION, 1906.

## PAGE STREET.

Pipe, lead, etc.,	\$378 25
Labor,	144 46
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	\$522 71

## WILSON STREET.

Pipe, lead, etc.,	\$229 75
Labor,	66 25
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	\$296 00
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	\$818 71

Total cost of extensions, 1906,	\$460 51
Reported cost, Dec. 1, 1905,	269,609 33
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Total cost of extensions, Dec. 1, 1906,	\$270,069 84

Cost of reconstruction, 1906,	\$818 71
Reported cost, Dec. 1, 1905,	<u>83,815 22</u>
Total cost of reconstruction, Dec. 1, 1906,	\$84,633 93
Cost of extensions, Dec. 1, 1906,	\$290,069 84
Cost of reconstruction, Dec. 1, 1906,	<u>84,633 93</u>
Total cost of works, Dec. 1, 1906,	\$354,703 77

### WATER PIPE LAID IN 1906.

Street.	Hydrant.	Gates.	4-in.	6-in.
Washington .....	1.....	1.....	12.....	408
Page.....		1.....		530
Wilson .....	1.....	1.....	12.....	280
	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>1,218</u>

### METER DEPARTMENT.

Paid pay roll, labor,	\$429 15
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight,	2 51
Thompson Meter Co., repairs,	39 86
National Meter Co., repairs,	<u>14 05</u>
	\$485 57

### INDEBTEDNESS.

#### WATER BONDS, LOAN OF 1887.

Due.	Rate of Interest.	Amount Due.
1910, January 1,	3½ per cent,	\$7,000 00
1911, “	“	10,000 00
1912, “	“	10,000 00
1913, “	“	<u>10,000 00</u>
		\$37,000 00

## WATER BONDS, LOANS OF 1891.

Due.	Rate of Interest.	Amount Due.
1913, October 1,	4 per cent,	\$5,000 00
1914,     "	"	10,000 00
1915,     "	"	10,000 00
1916,     "	"	10,000 00
1917,     "	"	10,000 00
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		\$45,000 00

## WATER BONDS, LOANS OF 1902.

Due.	Rate of Interest.	Amount Due.
1909, July 1,	3½ per cent,	\$5,000 00
1910,     "	"	5,000 00
1911,     "	"	5,000 00
1912,     "	"	5,000 00
1913,     "	"	5,000 00
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		\$25,000 00
Total bonded water works debt,		<hr/>
		\$107,000 00













SYLVAN LAKE.



STREETS.	Hydrant.	WROUGHT IRON.			CAST IRON PIPE.							CEMENT LINED.				
		1 in.	1½ in.	2 in.	4 in.	6 in.	8 in.	10 in.	12 in.	14 in.	16 in.	24 in.	4 in.	12 in.	14 in.	16 in.
Summer.....	1				424	396										
Tannery.....	1				470											
Taylor.....	1				500											
Terrace.....				475	355											
Towns.....				263	48											
Towns Ct.....					254											
Union.....	1				1255											
Valley.....	1				769											
Vernon.....	1			244	360											
Washington.....	13				535	2452	3696									
Washington Ave.....	1				700											
Water.....	7			307	101	3611	270									
Wilford.....	1				375											
Willow.....	2				356	470										
Wilson.....	2				690	280										
Winchester.....	10				4456	1076	744									
Winchester Ct.....				525												
Winter.....	1				430	532										
Wells.....					260											
West.....	12				258	1408	5840						511			
Woodburn.....	2				1202											
Wilber.....	1				654	365										
Wyman Way.....	1					511										
Wyman Way Ct.....						181										
Wheelock.....	1				12	400										
Roxbury Main No. 1.....							14255	891	325	147						
Roxbury Main No. 2.....	3				36	24		18	11593	30						
Totals.....	238	623	336	14989	51833	63969	45570	1785	25553	741	392	129	511	6437	710	690



## RECAPITULATION.

Wrought iron pipe.....	15,948 feet.
Cast iron pipe.....	189,963 "
Cement lined pipe.....	8,409 "
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	214,320 feet.
Or 40 miles, 3,120 feet.	

## NO. AND LOCATION OF FIRE HYDRANTS.

NO.	POST.	FLUSH.	STREET.	LOCATION.
1	L*		Arch	South side, near Dr. Russell's.
221	L		"	South side, opposite Spalding's.
235	Cn*		"	South side, 200 ft. east of Bradford st.
2	L		Adams	West side, cor. Elliot st.
3	L		"	West side, cor. Gates st.
4	L		"	West side, cor. Baker st.
5	L		Armory	West side, cor. North st.
6	M*		Appian Way	South side, between Main and Madison sts.
7	M		"	South side, opposite Madison st.
8	L		Ashuelot	West side, south of Park st.
9	L		Beaver	South side, opposite Page st.
10	L		"	South side, west of Beaver Brook.
11	L		"	North side, opposite Dover st.
12	L		"	North side, east of Beech st.
13	L		"	North side, west of Grant st.
14	L		Beech	East side, between Beaver and Roxbury sts.
15	M		Butler Court	West side, south of Winchester st.
16	M 4-way.		Central Sq.	South side of park.
17	L		"	Northeast side of park
18	L		Church	North side, west cor. Norway Ave.
19	L		"	North side, opposite Wells st.
20	L		"	South side, east of Gurnsey st.
21	L		"	South side, opposite Probate st.
22	L		Colorado	West side, north of West st.
23	L		Cottage	North side, east end of street.
24	M 3-way.		Court	West side, front of Court house.
25	M		"	West side, opposite Vernon st.
26	M		"	West side, opposite Mechanic st.
27	M		"	West side, south cor. School st.
28	M		"	West side, opposite Cross st.
29	L		"	East side, north cor. High st.
30	L		"	West side, opposite Forest st.
31	L		"	West side, north cor. Portland st.
32	L		"	West side, south of Linden st.
33	L		"	West side, opposite North st.
34	L		"	East side, north of North st.
35	L		"	West side, at Glue works.
36	M		"	West side, at Glue works.
37	L		"	West side, near Elm st.
38	M		"	West side, near H. M. Darling's.
39	L		"	East side, near Levi Allen's.
234	L		"	West side, near Holman's.
40	L		Carpenter	West side, opposite Fowler st.
41	L		Cross	North side, east of Howard st.
42	L		"	North side, opposite Green st.
43	L		"	South side, west cor. of Elm st.
44	L		Castle	North side, opposite Ashuelot st.

\*L—Ludlow. M—Matthews. Cn—Coffin.

NO. AND LOCATION OF FIRE HYDRANTS. — *Continued.*

NO.	POST.	FLUSH.	STREET.	LOCATION.
45	L		Carroll	East side, north of High st.
46	L		Davis	North side, east cor. of Wilson st.
47	L		Douglass	West side, north of Roxbury st.
48		H*	Dunbar	North side, west of shoe shop.
49	L		"	North side, opposite Crossfield st.
50	L		"	South side, east of Main st.
51	L		Elm	East side, north of Mechanic st.
52	L		"	East side, near Union st.
53	L		"	East side, north cor. of High st.
54	L		"	East side, opposite Baldwin st.
55	L		"	East side, south cor. of Spruce st.
56	L		"	West side, north cor. of North st.
57	L		"	East side, north of North st.
215	L		"	"
58	M		Emerald	South side, east cor. of Wilson st.
59	M		"	North side, opposite Dunn & Salisbury's.
60		H	"	North side, opposite Ralston st.
61	M		"	North side, west of Ralston st.
62	M		"	North side, west end of Emerald st.
63	L		"	East side, near Gas works. [office.
64		H	"	North side, near master mechanic's
224	L		Eastern Ave.	East side, north of railroad crossing.
225	L		"	East side, near house No. 152.
226	L		"	West side, north of house No. 127.
227	L		"	West side, south of Water st.
65	L		Forest	West side, south of Baldwin st.
66	M		Franklin	West side, north of Spring st.
67	L		George	North side, near foot of hill.
68			"	North side, east of Beaver brook.
69	L		Gilsum	West side, north cor. of North st.
70	L		"	West side, north of Washington st.
71	L		Grove	West side, opposite Myrtle st.
72	L		Grant	West side, north of Roxbury st.
73	M		Harrison	East side, north cor. of Church st.
74	M 3-way.		"	East side, south of Beaver brook.
75	L		High	South side, east cor. of Carroll st.
76	L		Howard	West side, north cor. of High st.
77	L		"	East side, north of Maple st.
78	L		"	East side, opposite Spruce st.
79	M		Island	West side, south of railroad.
233	L		"	West side, near Fowler's mill.
214	C*		Jennison	East side, cor. of Foster st.
80	L		Kelleher	East side, opposite house No. 45.
209	L		"	West side, cor. of Baker st.
81	L		Leverett	West cor. of River st.
82	L		Lincoln	West side, south of Church st.
83	L		"	West side, south of Church st.
84	L		"	West side, north cor. of Water st.

\*H—Humphrey. C—Chapman.

NO. AND LOCATION OF FIRE HYDRANTS.—*Continued.*

NO.	POST.	FLUSH.	STREET.	LOCATION.
85	L		Lincoln	West side, south of Roxbury st.
86	L		"	East side, south cor. of Beaver st.
87	M		Main	West side, south cor. West st.
88	M		"	East side, south cor. of Church st.
89	M		"	West side, north cor. of Railroad sq.
90	M		"	West side, south of Railroad.
91	M		"	West side, south cor. of Emerald st.
92	L		"	West side, south cor. of Davis st.
93	L		"	East side, south cor. Marlboro st.
94	L		"	West side, south cor. Winchester st.
95	M		"	West side, north cor. Appian Way.
96	M		"	West side, front of City hospital.
97	M		"	West side, south of Gates st.
98	M		"	West side, opposite Baker st.
99	M		"	West side, front of E. F. Lane's.
100	L		"	West side, at J. S. Taft & Co's.
101	L		"	West side, near Park entrance.
102	L		"	West side, near Knight's.
231	L		"	East side, near Swanzey line
103	L		Marlboro	South side, east of Main st.
104	L		"	South side, opposite Grove st.
105	L		"	South side, west cor. Kelleher st.
106		H	"	South side, east of Beaver brook.
107		H	"	South side, west of Baker st.
108		H	"	North side, east of Baker st.
109		H	"	South side, east of Baker st.
210	L		"	East side, at Eastern Ave.
211	L		"	East side, opposite No. 505.
212	L		"	East side, south of No. 534.
213	C		"	East side, near schoolhouse.
110	L		McKinley	South side, east of Park Ave.
111	L		"	West side, south of Russell st.
112	M		Mechanic	North side, east cor. Pleasant st.
113	M		"	North side, west cor. Elm st.
114	M		Middle	West side, opposite Centre st.
115	M		Myrtle	North side, opposite Foster st.
116	M		"	West side, east of Beaver brook.
117	L		Park	North side, west of Colorado st.
118	L		Park Ave.	East side, north of West st.
119	L		"	East side, cor. of Russell st.
120	L		"	East side, north of Russell st.
121	L		"	East side, opposite Arch st.
122		H	Pearl	West side, north of railroad.
123		H	"	West side, south of Hart place.
124		H	"	West side, at Ash swamp road.
125		H	"	West side, near turn of road.
126		H	"	North side, 600 feet west of school-house.
127		H	"	South side, west of schoolhouse.

NO. AND LOCATION OF FIRE HYDRANTS.—*Continued.*

NO.	POST.	FLUSH.	STREET.	LOCATION.
128	H		Prospect	North side, west of Forest st., near top of hill.
236	L		Page	West side, near house No. 40.
222	L		Pine Ave.	East side, near house No. 17.
223	L		"	East side, near house No. 45.
228	L		Roosevelt	West side, cor. of Fairview st.
129	L		Railroad	North side, west cor. Wells st.
130	L		"	South side, near Wright's meat house.
131	M		"	South side, east of 93d st.
132		H	"	South side, at Humphrey's shop.
133	M		"	North side, at Beaver mills office.
134	H		"	Southwest cor. Cheshire Chair shop.
135	L		"	West of Cheshire Chair shop.
136	L		"	East of furniture shop.
137	H		"	South side of furniture shop.
138	L		Railroad Sq.	South side, west of passenger depot.
139	L		"	North side, opposite freight depot.
140	L		Ralston	East side, north cor. of Davis st.
141	M		Roxbury	South side, near livery stable.
142	M		"	North side, front of Davis & Wright Co's.
143	M		"	North side, opposite Norway Ave.
144	M		"	South side, opposite Franklin st.
145	M		"	North side, east cor. of Beech st.
146	M		"	North side, west cor. of Lincoln st.
147		H	"	West side, opposite Terrace st.
148	L		School	East side, north of Winter st.
149	L		"	East side, south of Castle st.
150	L		"	East side, cor. West st.
151	L		"	East side, opposite Leverett.
152	L		Spring	North side, west cor. of Towns st.
153	L		"	North side, east cor. of Brook st.
154	L		Spruce	North side, east cor. of Forest st.
155	M		Summer	North side, opposite Middle st.
156	L		South	West side, south of Marlboro st.
218	L		South Keene	East of iron bridge.
219	L		"	At railroad crossing.
220	L		"	South side, top of hill.
157	M		Tannery	West side, near Tannery st.
158	L		Taylor	North side, east of Towns st.
159	L		Union	North side, east cor. of Green st.
160	L		Valley	West side, south of Church st.
161	M		Vernon	North side, west cor. of Elm st.
162	M		Washington	East side, north of City Hall
163	M		"	East side, north cor. of Spring st.
164	L		"	West side, north cor. of Mechanic st.
165	L		"	East side, north cor. of Beaver st.
166	L		"	West side, north cor. of Pine st.
167	L		"	East side, south of Greenlawn st.



NO. AND LOCATION OF FIRE HYDRANTS. — *Continued.*

NO.	POST.	FLUSH.	STREET.	LOCATION.
168	L		Washington	East side, south cor. of Cottage st.
169	L		"	East side, south of Wilford st.
170	L		"	East side, south of Washington Ave.
171	L		"	East side, north of George st.
172	L		"	East side, north of George st.
173	L		"	East side, near Morse's.
238	L		" [Ave.	East side, north of No. 541.
174	L		Washington	North side, west cor. of Ellis ct.
175	L		Water	South side, east of Main st.
176	L		"	South side, west cor. of Willow st.
177	L		"	South side, west of Grove st.
178	L		"	South side, west of railroad.
179	L		"	South side, east of railroad.
180	L		"	South side, opposite Valley st.
181	L		"	South side, top of hill.
182	L		Wilford	North side, near Green's shop.
217	L		Wheelock	East side, cor. of Russell st.
183	L		Willow	East side, south of Water st.
229	L		"	West side, 200 ft. north Marlboro st.
230	L		Wilber	West side, 300 ft. north of Water st.
184	M		Winter	South side, opposite Middle st.
185	L		Woodburn	East side, south cor. Linden st.
232	L		"	East side, opposite Perham st.
186	L		West	North side, west of postoffice.
187	L		"	North side, west of St. James st.
188	M		"	North side, east cor. of Colorado st.
189	M		"	North side, east cor. Ashuelot st.
190	L		"	South side, west cor. of Island st.
191	L		"	North side, west of bridge.
192	L		"	North side, opposite Pearl st.
193	L		"	North side, west of Pearl st.
194	L		"	North side, opposite C. P. Pitcher's.
195	L		"	North side, east cor. of McKinley st.
196	M		"	North side, opposite Tannery place.
197		H	"	North side, opposite Foster's house.
198	M		Winchester	North side, opposite Madison st.
199	M		"	North side, west of railroad.
200	M		"	North side, opposite Winchester ct.
201		H	"	South side, west cor. of Winchester ct.
202		H	"	West side, south of schoolhouse.
203		H	"	West side, opposite Whitcomb farm.
204		H	"	West side, at Burnap ct.
205	L		"	West side, front of brick house.
206		H	"	East side, at A. J. Williams'.
207		H	"	East side, Hamblet's old place.
208	L		Wilson	West side, south of Davis st.
237	L		"	East side, near Commercial st.
216	L		Wyman Way	North side, east cor. of — st.



## PRIVATE HYDRANTS IN USE DECEMBER 1, 1906.

West street, at Faulkner & Colony Mfg. Co.'s mill:

- No. 1, Ludlow post, northeast cor. of mill.
- No. 2, Ludlow post, southeast cor. of mill.
- No. 3, Ludlow post, southwest cor. of office.
- No. 10, Chapman post, south of dye house.
- No. 4, Ludlow post, northwest cor. of mill.
- No. 11, Chapman post, southwest of boiler house.

Water street, at J. P. Rust's mill:

- No. 5, Ludlow post, south side Water street, east of mill.
- No. 6, Ludlow post, half way of mill, east side of mill.
- No. 7, Ludlow post, southeast cor. of dry house.
- No. 8, Ludlow post, half way of mill, west side of mill.

Island street, at H. J. Fowler's mill:

- No. 9, Ludlow post, south side mill, east of boiler house.

Ralston street, at Citizens' Electric Co.'s:

- No. 12, Ludlow post, southeast cor. of lot.

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RECAPITULATION.

Matthews post, 4-way.....	1
Matthews post, 3-way.....	2
Matthews post, 2-way.....	51
Ludlow post, 2-way.....	155
Chapman post, 2-way.....	2
Humphrey post, 2-way.....	3
Humphrey flush, 2-way.....	23
Coffin post, 2-way.....	1
Total public hydrants.....	238
Total private hydrants.....	12
Total number of hydrants in use Dec. 1, 1906.....	250



INTERCEPTING DAM NO. 1—ROARING BROOK.



TABLE SHOWING THE YEAR THAT PIPE WAS  
LAID IN EACH STREET.

Street.	When laid.
Adams .....	1890, 1892
Allen .....	1899
Armory .....	1890, 1895
Appian Way .....	1887
Appleton .....	1889
Ashuelot .....	1873, 1891
Ashuelot court .....	1873
Arch .....	1894, 1895, 1903, 1905
Barker .....	1901
Baker .....	1877, 1889, 1896, 1898
Beaver .....	1870, 1873, 1891, 1893
Brook .....	1885, 1893, 1894
Beech .....	1870, 1891
Butler court .....	1871, 1887, 1888
Baldwin .....	1892
Castle .....	1872, 1873, 1891, 1894
Carpenter .....	1894
Chestnut .....	1895
Court .....	1868, 1869, 1889, 1890, 1891, 1893, 1894
Central square .....	1868, 1869, 1891, 1896, 1898
Centre .....	1883, 1890
Church .....	1872, 1873, 1877, 1891
Colorado .....	1870, 1891
Carroll .....	1877, 1891, 1892
Cottage .....	1870, 1891
Coolidge .....	1872, 1890
Cross .....	1869, 1891
Dover .....	1871, 1892
Davis .....	1871, 1872, 1873, 1891, 1895
Douglass .....	1892
Dunbar .....	1870, 1871, 1884, 1891
Damon court .....	1899
Dartmouth .....	1901
Edwards .....	1894

Eastern avenue.....	1889, 1895, 1903
Elliot.....	1872, 1885, 1891, 1894
Elm.....	1871, 1872, 1891, 1895, 1896, 1900
Emerald.....	1871, 1887, 1890, 1895
Ellis court.....	1873, 1891, 1895
Fairview.....	1901
Forest.....	1871, 1872, 1875, 1884, 1893
Foster.....	1883
Fairfield court.....	1892
Franklin.....	1870, 1891
Fowler.....	1894
Foundry.....	1897
Gardner.....	1899, 1901
George.....	1883, 1891, 1896
Gilsum.....	1873, 1885, 1891
Greenlawn.....	1890
Grant.....	1870, 1888, 1891
Green.....	1891, 1903
Grove.....	1883, 1884
Gates.....	1889
Giffin.....	1900
Gurnsey.....	1892
Harrison.....	1872, 1889
High.....	1870, 1871, 1876, 1888, 1889, 1881
Howard.....	1870, 1873, 1891
Howard court.....	1891
Howard place.....	previous to 1888
Island.....	1889
Kelleher.....	1881, 1889, 1896, 1898
Kingsbury.....	1903
Jennison.....	1898, 1899
Leverett.....	1871, 1891
Linden.....	
Madison.....	1890
Main.....	1869, 1875, 1889, 1890, 1891, 1895, 1896, 1904
McKinley.....	1896, 1901
Midway.....	1895

Maple.....	1870, 1891
Marlboro.....	1871, 1880, 1891, 1898, 1899, 1902
Mechanic.....	1869, 1888
Middle.....	1871, 1890
Myrtle.....	1883, 1890
Monadnock.....	1892
Ninety-Third.....	1903
North Lincoln.....	1872, 1891, 1903
North.....	1891, 1892, 1893, 1898, 1899, 1902
Oak.....	1899, 1900, 1901
Page.....	1885, 1889, 1891, 1894, 1905, 1906
Pine.....	1872, 1894
Pine avenue.....	1903
Park.....	1891, 1895
Park avenue.....	1870, 1891, 1892
Proctor court.....	1900, 1901, 1904
Pearl.....	1876
Pitcher.....	
Pleasant.....	1901
Portland.....	1872, 1891
Prospect.....	1876, 1884
Probate.....	1891
Railroad.....	1871, 1872, 1877, 1889, 1891, 1893, 1896
Railroad square.....	1880
Ralston.....	1870, 1891
River.....	1873, 1891
Roxbury.....	1870, 1872, 1888
Roosevelt.....	1902
Russell.....	1873, 1897, 1902, 1903
Richardson court.....	1902
School.....	1869, 1891
South Lincoln.....	1870, 1891
South.....	1892, 1893, 1895, 1896
Spring.....	1870, 1873, 1885, 1886, 1891 1894
St. James.....	1894
Spruce.....	1871, 1890, 1891, 1892, 1897
Sullivan.....	1888



Summer.....	1869, 1890
Tannery.....	1872, 1890
Taylor.....	1870, 1891
Terrace.....	1890, 1896
Towns.....	1888
Towns court.....	1899
Union.....	1870, 1872, 1890, 1891
Valley.....	1872, 1891, 1898
Vernon.....	1872, 1883, 1886, 1889
Washington.....	1870, 1873, 1883, 1890, 1891, 1895, 1906
Washington avenue.....	1891
Water.....	1870, 1873, 1884, 1885, 1891, 1902, 1904
Wilford.....	1891
Willow.....	1891, 1903, 1904
Wilson.....	1897, 1898, 1902, 1906
Winchêster.....	1870, 1876, 1890, 1905
Winchester court.....	
Winter.....	1870, 1890
Wells.....	1902
West.....	1870, 1872, 1873, 1890, 1891
Woodburn.....	1873, 1883, 1884, 1891, 1904
Wilber.....	1888, 1893, 1894, 1899, 1904
Wyman Way.....	1898, 1901
Wyman Way court.....	1901
Wheelock.....	1992
Roxbury Main No. 1.....	1887
Roxbury Main No. 2.....	1902

AMOUNT OF ASSESSMENT AND NET EARNINGS OF  
THE WATER WORKS FROM 1870 TO 1906  
INCLUSIVE.

Year.	Amount of Assessment.	Net Earnings.
1870.....	\$940.73.....	(No record.)
1871.....	3,425.10.....	\$2,633.28
1872.....	4,718.18.....	2,718.18
1873.....	6,336.84.....	4,772.27
1874.....	7,061.10.....	5,885.35
1875.....	7,214.08.....	6,934.31
1876.....	7,594.54.....	6,336.42
1877.....	7,024.60.....	6,228.68
1878.....	6,906.21.....	6,147.49
1879.....	7,372.34.....	6,597.44
1880.....	8,315.58.....	7,354.82
1881.....	9,065.16.....	7,202.98
1882.....	9,461.10.....	8,429.79
1883.....	10,133.17.....	8,883.56
1884.....	13,815.93.....	10,039.84
1885.....	14,457.92.....	10,626.39
1886.....	15,326.32.....	11,453.39
1887.....	15,794.87.....	11,425.05
1888.....	16,128.67.....	11,595.02
1889.....	16,280.23.....	11,358.68
1890.....	17,040.15.....	10,976.29
1891.....	17,526.49.....	12,472.05
1892.....	18,574.29.....	13,771.34
1893.....	19,801.12.....	14,424.78
1894.....	20,142.98.....	15,359.92
1895.....	21,248.19.....	17,382.28
1896.....	22,538.41.....	17,469.91
1897.....	23,312.56.....	18,007.94
1898.....	23,734.74.....	18,287.90
1899.....	24,756.01.....	19,433.76
1900.....	26,427.69.....	21,450.11
1901.....	27,327.92.....	23,292.42
1902.....	27,486.10.....	22,207.11

Year.	Amount of Assessment.	Net Earnings.
1903.....	\$27,958.82.....	\$22,815.24
1904.....	28,332.95.....	22,856.75
1905.....	29,379.26.....	23,645.88
1906.....	29,139.95.....	23,653.83

### REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 1, 1906.

Statistics as suggested by the New England Water Works Association:

Population by census of 1900, 9,165.

Estimated population December 1, 1906, 11,000.

Sylvan lake system constructed, 1868.

Echo lake, No. 1, system constructed, 1886.

Echo lake, No. 2, system constructed, 1902.

Owned by the city of Keene.

Source of supply, Sylvan lake, three miles from city;  
Echo lake, seven miles from city.

### FINANCIAL.

C. Net receipts from water,	\$25,657 05
F. Hydrants, 250 at 25,	\$6,250 00
G. Fountains and water troughs,	500 00
H. Street watering,	2,000 00
I. Public buildings,	250 00
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	\$9,000 00
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	\$34,657 05

### EXPENDITURES.

A. A. Management and repairs,	\$2,003 22
B. B. Interest on debt,	3,970 00
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C. C. Total maintenance,	\$5,973 22
D. D. Balance to city,	28,683 83
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E. E. Total,	\$34,657 05

## CONSUMPTION.

1. Estimated population to date,	11,000
2. Estimated population on line of pipe,	10,000
3. Estimated supplied at date,	9,000

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## DISTRIBUTION.

1. Kind of pipe used, wrought iron, cement lined and cast iron.
  2. Size, four-inch to twenty-four-inch.
  3. Extended, 1,242 feet.
  4. Discontinued, 645 feet.
  5. Total now in use, 40 miles, 3,120 feet.
  8. Small distribution pipes, less than four-inch, 3 miles, 108 feet.
  9. Hydrants added, 2.
  10. Number now in use, public, 238, private, 12.
  11. Stop gates added, 2.
  12. Number now in use, 393.
  14. Number of blow-off gates, 31.
  15. Range of pressure day and night, 50 to 65 pounds.
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## SERVICES.

16. Wrought iron, galvanized and lead.
  17. From three-fourths to six-inch.
  18. Extended, 950 feet.
  20. Total miles, 11 miles, 2,680 feet.
  21. Service pipes added, 19.
  22. Number now in use, 1,931.
  24. Meters added, 6.
  26. Number now in use, 131.
- Motors and elevators in use, 12.

I respectfully recommend:

1st. That the dam at Echo lake be raised at least three feet.

2d. That the twelve-inch pipe in Marlboro street be extended to Eastern Avenue and a ten-inch feed pipe be laid in Marlboro street from Eastern Avenue to connect with the twelve-inch pipe in Main street.

3d. That the two-inch and four-inch pipe in Grove street be relaid with eight-inch pipe.

4th. That the eight-inch Roxbury main be connected direct with the city main.

5th. That the cement lined pipe in Court street be relaid with cast iron pipe as far as the North cemetery.

The works are in good condition.

Respectfully submitted,

PAUL F. BABBIDGE,  
Superintendent.



INTERCEPTING DAM NO. 2—ROARING BROOK.





## SEWER DEPARTMENT.

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Connections reported Dec. 1, 1905,	1,254
Additions to Dec. 1, 1906,	54
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Whole number Dec. 1, 1906,	1,308

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## RECEIPTS.

Received for connection and labor,	\$776 84
Deposited with city treasurer,	776 84

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## MAINTENANCE.

Paid Paul F. Babbidge, salary as super-	
intendent,	\$399 96
Pay roll, labor,	872 87
Humphrey Machine Co., castings,	344 70
J. H. Spencer, shoeing,	8 40
J. N. Read, stone,	1 00
G. H. Eames, grain,	13 95
Knowlton & Stone, goods,	26 99
Nims, Whitney & Co., lumber,	15 00
D. R. & F. A. Cole, grain,	35 12
J. Cushing & Co., grain,	8 25
W. F. Harris, repairs,	1 05
V. E. Hudson, lettering,	1 00
D. McGregor, harness,	20 95
Edson Mfg. Co., goods,	3 30
Fitzgerald & Hevey, work,	2 10
Aldrich & Dutton, goods,	2 30
R. Ray, repairs,	16 95
C. E. Stickney, work,	5 57
C. M. Cummings, goods,	25 00

Paid G. H. Tilden & Co., goods,	\$1 22
G. B. Robertson, repairs,	24 08
H. W. Hubbard, repairs,	10 11
E. H. Fletcher, hay,	8 60
L. J. Colony Est., hay,	12 63
Pearson Bros., goods,	183 22
Geo. Gordon, lumber,	3 98
J. P. Wellman, envelopes,	1 60
Carter, Rice & Co., goods,	1 85
F. C. Tilton & Co., goods,	4 00
L. W. Safford, hay,	5 00
G. M. Rossman, goods,	2 00
Y. Jones, shoeing,	4 50
F. H. Baldwin, goods,	6 50
F. C. & L. A. Nims, teams,	10 00
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight,	1 09
Bullard & Shedd Co., goods,	25
F. L. Carey, goods,	5 96
S. Wadsworth, services,	1 50
Highway department, work,	12 00
H. Houghton, hack,	25
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	\$2,104 80

## CR.

By labor and stock on new sewers,	\$227 55
Labor and stock on new drains,	100 00
Cash,	776 84
Stock on hand,	212 14
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	\$1,316 53
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	\$788 27

## NEW SEWERS LAID IN 1906.

## PAGE STREET.

Pipe, cement, etc.,	\$76 15
Labor,	43 46
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	\$119 61

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## BEAVER STREET.

Pipe, cement, etc.,	\$20 80	
Labor,	21 31	
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## GRANT STREET.

Pipe, cement, etc.,	\$31 25	
Labor,	34 58	
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		\$227 55

## WEST KEENE SYSTEM (SPECIAL APPROPRIATION).

## WHITCOMB FARM.

Pipe, cement, land damage, etc.,	\$1,273 50	
Labor,	621 54	
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## PEARL STREET.

Pipe, cement, etc.,	\$2,027 36	
Labor,	937 12	
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## WEST STREET.

Pipe, cement, etc.,	\$1,328 51	
Labor,	507 58	
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## PARK AVENUE.

Pipe, cement, etc.,	\$817 33	
Labor,	743 03	
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## RUSSELL STREET.

Pipe, cement, etc.,	\$174 97	
Labor,	138 96	
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## CITY OF KEENE.

## MCKINLEY STREET.

Pipe, cement, etc.,	\$263 40	
Labor,	237 33	
	<u>          </u>	\$500 73
Total cost of lines constructed,		<u>          </u> \$9,070 63

## PIPE DELIVERED ON STREETS BUT NOT LAID.

## ROOSEVELT STREET.

Pipe,	\$40 13	
Labor,	3 50	
	<u>          </u>	\$43 63

## PINE AVENUE.

Pipe,	\$147 90	
Labor,	7 90	
	<u>          </u>	\$155 80

## FAIRVIEW STREET.

Pipe,	\$133 68	
Labor,	7 90	
	<u>          </u>	\$141 58

## WHEELLOCK STREET.

Pipe,	\$64 72	
Labor,	4 70	
	<u>          </u>	\$69 42

Total pipe on streets but not laid,		\$410 43
Total bills paid on system in 1906,		\$9,481 06
Cost of new sewers, 1906,	\$9,708 61	
Reported Dec. 1, 1905,	93,765 57	
	<u>          </u>	
Total cost of sewers Dec. 1, 1906,		\$103,474 18

## SEWER PIPE LAID IN 1906.

Street.	M.H.S.P.	6-in.	8-in.	10-in.	12-in.	15-in.	18-in.
Whitcomb Farm, 2							1,162
Pearl	8	7				3,838	
West	5	4			620	1,506	
Park Avenue	2	9	976	454	1,006		
Russell		3		630			
McKinley	1	3	356	750			
Grant		2	242				
Beaver		1	154				
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	18	32	2,340	1,834	1,006	620	5,344 1,162

2 miles, 1,746 feet.

## WEST KEENE SEWERS.

Paid labor,	\$3,209 56
Pearson Bros.,	4,656 31
Boston and Maine Railroad,	2 85
Perrian, Seamans & Co.,	72 00
J. H. Cunningham Co.,	92 99
H. O. Wardwell,	80
T. W. Hastings,	342 88
H. W. Hubbard,	21 10
Davis, Farnum Mfg. Co.,	61 90
G. W. Ball's Sons,	46 40
Knowlton & Stone,	50 03
Water and sewer department,	703 12
Highway department,	71 12
J. F. & F. H. Whitcomb,	150 00
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	\$9,481 06



## KEENE SEWERS.

MAINS AND LATERALS IN USE DEC. 1, 1906.

STREET.	M. H.	TANK.	6 in.	8 in.	10 in.	12 in.	15 in.	18 in.
Adams.....			1528					
Appian Way.....		1	1325					
Armory .....			1110					
Appleton .....			258					
Ashuelot.....	3				1747			
Ashuelot Ct.....			314					
Barker.....				512				
Baldwin .....			200					
Baker .....			599					
Beaver.....		3	1659					
Beech.....			760					
Brook.....	2		575			750		
Butler Ct.....	4						1085	
Castle.....			272					
Colorado.....		1	937		514			
Carpenter.....			820					
Carroll.....		1	880					
Central Sq.....	2		280		285			
Centre.....		1	370					
Church.....	3	1	2690	850				
Chestnut .....			265					
City Hall.....		1	312					
Coolidge.....		1	340					
Court .....	2		3431		655			
Cross.....		2	1000					
Clarke's block.....			185					
Crossfield.....			206					
Damon Ct.....			400					
Davis.....	3					1400		
Douglass .....		1	1060					
Dover.....			880					
Dunbar.....		1	1010					
Edwards .....			441					
Elliot.....		1	880					
Ellis Ct.....			300					
Elm .....			2090					
Emerald.....			865					
Fairfield Ct.....			220					
Forest.....			1234					
Franklin.....		1	960					
Fowler.....			262					
Foster.....			600					
Gardner.....			194					
Gates.....			150					
Gilsum.....			960					
Grant.....		1	842					
Green.....			450					
Greenlawn.....			350					

## KEENE SEWERS.

MAINS AND LATERALS IN USE DEC. 1, 1906.—*Continued.*

STREET.	M. H.	TANK.	6 in.	8 in.	10 in.	12 in.	15 in.	18 in.
Grove.....		1	750					
Gurnsey.....			362					
Harrison.....	4						560	
High.....		3	1538					
Howard.....			1003					
Howard Ct.....			218					
Howard Place.....			200					
Jennison.....			188					
Kelleher.....	3						1040	
Kingsbury.....			416					
Lincoln.....		2	1930					
Leverett.....			286	360				
Main.....	5	5	6108	775	240	1022		
Marlboro.....		1	1760					
Maple.....			426					
Mechanic.....	1	1	450	320				
Middle.....		1	325					
Monadnock.....			220					
Myrtle.....			400					
Mystic.....			200					
Midway.....			300					
McKinley.....	1		356	750				
Ninety-third.....			170					
North.....			445					
North Lincoln.....		1	815					
Oak.....		1	505					
Proctor Ct.....			494					
Park.....			362					
Page.....		1	1232					
Pine.....			440					
Pleasant.....			480					
Probate.....			726					
Prospect.....		1	260					
Portland.....				350				
Park Ave.....	2		976	454	1506			
Pearl.....	8						3838	
Russell.....				630				
River.....				1230				
Richardson Ct.....			600					
Railroad.....		1	1160					
Railroad Sq.....			460					
Ralston.....	2		350			680		
Roxbury.....	2	2	3029	800				
School.....		1	1720					
South.....			506					
Spring.....		1	745					
Spruce.....		1	483					
Summer.....		1	690					

## KEENE SEWERS.

MAINS AND LATERALS IN USE DEC. 1, 1906.—*Continued.*

STREET.	M. H.	TANK.	6 in.	8 in.	10 in.	12 in.	15 in.	18 in.
St. James.....		1	270					
Taylor.....		1	500					
Terrace.....		1	605					
Towns.....			190					
Towns Ct.....			240					
Union.....		2	740					
Valley.....		1	1050					
Vernon.....		1	320		200			
Washington.....		1	3180					
Washington Ave.....			110					
Water.....	2	2	2743	665				
West.....	5	1	2690			620	1506	
Willow.....		1	760					
Woodburn.....			1230					
Wells.....			70					
Wilson.....		2	724					
Winchester.....			1520				200	
Winchester Ct.....			550					
Wilber.....			530					
Winter.....		1	850					
Wyman Way.....			838	100				
Wyman Way Ct.....			180					
Whitcomb Farm.....	2							1162
Beaver main.....	17						6180	
Beaver mills.....			315					
Totals.....	74	57	89067	7796	5144	4472	14409	1162

Manholes, 74.

Flush tanks, 57.

6-inch pipe.....89,063

8-inch pipe.....7,796

10-inch pipe.....5,144

12-inch pipe.....4,472

15-inch pipe.....14,409

18-inch pipe.....1,162

Total, 122,046 or 23 miles, 606 feet.



ECHO LAKE—1885.



TABLE SHOWING YEAR SEWER PIPE WAS LAID  
IN EACH STREET.

Street.	When laid.
Adams.....	1885, 1888, 1889
Appian Way.....	1890
Armory.....	1897, 1898, 1903
Appleton.....	1900
Ashuelot.....	1900
Ashuelot court.....	1900
Barker.....	1900
Baldwin.....	1895, 1899
Baker.....	1896
Beaver.....	1882, 1883, 1894, 1905, 1906
Beech.....	1882, 1883
Brook.....	1882, 1890, 1893, 1894
Butler court.....	1882
Castle.....	1900
Colorado.....	1882, 1883, 1900
Carpenter.....	1894, 1903
Carroll.....	1882, 1883, 1897
Central square.....	1882, 1883
Centre.....	1882, 1883
Church.....	1882, 1883, 1890
Chestnut.....	1895
City hall.....	1884
Coolidge.....	1882, 1883
Court.....	1882, 1883, 1885, 1886, 1888, 1901, 1902
Cross.....	1882, 1883
Clarke's block.....	1899
Crossfield.....	1899
Damon court.....	1899
Davis.....	1882
Douglass.....	1882, 1883, 1897
Dover.....	1882, 1883
Dunbar.....	1882, 1883
Edwards.....	1894, 1899
Elliot.....	1882, 1883
Ellis court.....	1904



Elm.....	1882, 1883, 1888, 1895
Emerald.....	1897, 1903
Fairfield court.....	1892
Forest.....	1885, 1890, 1893, 1903
Franklin.....	1882, 1883
Fowler.....	1894
Foster.....	1895
Gardner.....	1899, 1901
Gates.....	1895
Gilsum.....	1893, 1895, 1904
Grant.....	1882, 1883, 1906
Green.....	1882
Greenlawn.....	1890
Grove.....	1888, 1889
Gurnsey.....	1892
Harrison.....	1882, 1883
High.....	1882, 1883, 1888
Howard.....	1882, 1883, 1896
Howard court.....	1899
Howard place.....	1900
Jennison.....	1898, 1899
Kelleher.....	1882, 1883
Kingsbury.....	1903
Leverett.....	1900, 1902, 1903
McKinley.....	1906
Main.....	1882, 1883, 1899, 1900
Marlboro.....	1882, 1883
Maple.....	1899
Mechanic.....	1882, 1883
Middle.....	1882, 1883
Mystic place.....	1895
Midway.....	1895
Monadnock.....	1894
Ninety-Third.....	1895
North.....	1892, 1893
North Lincoln.....	1889, 1894, 1895, 1896
Oak.....	1889

Proctor court.....	1900, 1901
Park.....	1900
Page.....	1889, 1894, 1906
Pine.....	1892
Pleasant.....	1882, 1883
Probate.....	1892, 1895, 1896
Prospect.....	1886
Portland.....	1902
Park avenue.....	1906
Pearl.....	1906
Russell.....	1906
River.....	1902
Richardson court.....	1902, 1903, 1905
Railroad.....	1893, 1896
Railroad square.....	1891, 1893, 1899
Ralston.....	1882, 1895
Roxbury.....	1882, 1883, 1903
School.....	1882, 1883
South.....	1894, 1896, 1898
South Lincoln.....	1882, 1883
Spring.....	1882, 1883, 1888
Spruce.....	1893, 1897, 1898, 1903
Summer.....	1882, 1883
St. James.....	1899
Taylor.....	1882, 1883
Terrace.....	1890, 1905
Towns.....	1888
Towns court.....	1899
Union.....	1882, 1883
Valley.....	1882, 1883
Vernon.....	1882, 1883
Washington.....	1882, 1883, 1884, 1897
Washington avenue.....	1904
Water.....	1882, 1883, 1893, 1895, 1898
West.....	1882, 1883, 1903
Willow.....	1882, 1883, 1903
Woodburn.....	1902, 1904

Wells .....	1901
Wilson .....	1888, 1897
Winchester .....	1882, 1883, 1895
Winchester court .....	1895
Wilber .....	1895
Winter .....	1882, 1883
Wyman Way .....	1898, 1902
Wyman Way court .....	1902
Beaver main .....	1882, 1883
Beaver mills .....	1894
Whitcomb farm .....	1906

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The following streets of the West Keene system has been completed; Pearl street, West street, Park avenue, Russell street, (to Wheelock street) and McKinley street.

The pipe has been bought and delivered on Fairview street, Roosevelt street, Wheelock street (to Pine ave.) and Pine avenue. The balance of the appropriation will construct the lines in the above streets.

The principal mains have been thoroughly cleaned, but on account of the low water in the lakes the small lateral lines have not received their usual fall flushing.

The system has been extended in Page, Grant and Beaver streets.

Respectfully submitted,

PAUL F. BABBIDGE,  
Superintendent.

## DRAIN DEPARTMENT.

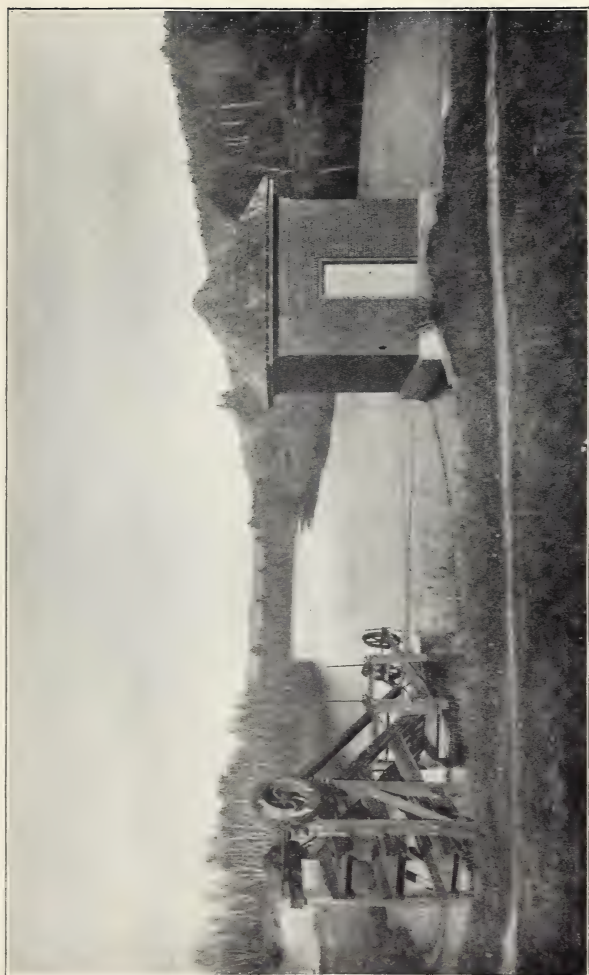
## MAINTENANCE.

Paid water department,	\$300 00
Sewer department,	100 00
Pay roll, labor,	264 74
G. W. Ball's Sons, brick,	21 70
J. H. Spencer, shoeing,	6 00
G. H. Eames, grain,	7 14
Knowlton & Stone, goods,	23 30
D. R. & F. A. Cole, grain,	31 47
J. Cushing & Co., grain,	8 30
W. F. Harris, repairs,	1 00
V. E. Hudson, lettering,	50
A. E. Barnard, repairs,	65
G. H. Tilden & Co., goods,	1 22
J. M. Duffy, goods,	3 75
R. Ray, repairs,	3 25
Humphrey Machine Co., castings,	13 44
D. McGregor, harness,	19 00
G. B. Robertson, repairs,	21 00
E. H. Fletcher, hay,	8 60
L. J. Colony Est., hay,	10 80
Kirk & Sewall, goods,	2 59
F. C. & L. A. Nims, teams,	4 25
Geo. Giffin, coal,	1 20
J. P. Wellman, envelopes,	1 00
G. M. Rossman, goods,	99
Edson Mfg. Co., goods,	2 50
Pearson Bros., goods,	204 55
L. W. Safford, hay,	5 00
Y. Jones, shoeing,	1 50
F. C. Tilton & Co., goods,	3 50
Carter, Rice & Co., goods,	1 50

APPROXIMATE TABLE OF SURFACE DRAINS IN USE DEC. 1, 1906. — *Continued.*

STREETS.	36 in. Brick.	24 in. Iron.	PIPE.								Stone.	Catch-basins.	Grates.	Manholes.	Stand-pipes.	Open Ditch.
			24 in.	20 in.	18 in.	15 in.	12 in.	10 in.	8 in.	6 in.						
Franklin.....									300	70			6		1	
Foster.....									980	40		2	2			
Gilsum.....			150				46						2			
Green.....							415		12				3			
Greenlawn.....										40			2			
Grove.....									570	112			9			
Gurnsey.....									30				3			
Harrison.....							250	128					4			
High.....									408	240			14			
Howard.....								768	44	146		3	14			
Island.....							612	438	96	14		3	4			
Kingsbury.....								70	60							
Main.....						40	645	616	1830	60		17	13		1	
Marlboro.....						572	840	648	416	210		2	22			
Mechanic.....					230			68	258			1	10			
Madison.....										95			2			
Middle.....									300	80			7			
North.....							140						1			
Pine.....									130	80			3			
Pearl.....								380	62	50		2	7			
Pleasant.....						260	200		20			2	4			
Probate.....							630					3	6			
Prospect.....						42	44						2			
Park Ave.....							62		156							
Railroad.....				1290						120		2	8			





BEECH HILL RESERVOIR.





APPROXIMATE TABLE OF SURFACE DRAINS IN USE DEC. 1, 1906. — Continued.

STREETS.	36 in. Brick.	24 in. Iron.	PIPE.								Stone.	Catch-basins.	Grates.	Manholes.	Stand-pipes.	Open Ditch.
			24 in.	20 in.	18 in.	15 in.	12 in.	10 in.	8 in.	6 in.						
Ralston.....				628				837	516	528		3	1			
Roxbury.....	920		128				818					9	30	3		
School.....							760		80	90		2	9			
Spring.....								250	125	20			5		1	
Spruce.....					250		42	44	97	56			6			
St. James.....								340	112	76			1			
South.....								86	106				1			
Summer.....									465	180	210	1	7			
South Lincoln.....							132			26						
Tyler Ravine.....			21													
Valley.....								125	54	6			4			
Vernon.....									335	24			5			
Washington.....						336	1570	280	735	485		9	14		5	
Water.....							1830		514	206		3	16		2	
Wilson.....								430	195				6			
West.....					250	1115		84	572	110	75	4	23			
Wells.....					300								1			
Winchester.....				74		860	682		188			1	8		2	
Winter.....								550	182	342			17			
Wilber.....								80				1	1			
Private Land:																
Town brook.....		85			360						760					
St. James to river.....						1055					130	1	4			1058
Through railroad land.....					2400					350		2				
Elliot to brook.....						50	340	451	240							

APPROXIMATE TABLE OF SURFACE DRAINS IN USE DEC. 1, 1906. — Continued.

STREETS.	36 in. Brick.	24 in. Iron.	PIPE.								Stone.	Catch-basins.	Grates.	Manholes.	Stand-pipes.	Open Ditch.
			24 in.	20 in.	18 in.	15 in.	12 in.	10 in.	8 in.	6 in.						
Private Land: — Continued.										475						
Baker to brook.....																6770
Beaver brook, Roxb'y to river						176										2670
Portland to West.....					100						320			1		2094
Washington to Carroll.....			10													
Total.....	920	85 288 628	5238	6515	10929	15552	6710	1335	118 462	4	15	12592				

RECAPITULATION.

63,389 feet covered drains=12 miles, 29 feet.

12,592 feet open ditch=2 miles, 2,032 feet.

The drains are in good condition.

Respectfully submitted,

PAUL F. BABIDGE,  
Superintendent.

## REPORT OF THE INSPECTOR OF PLUMBING,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 1, 1906.

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Number of permits granted,	37	
Reported September 1, 1905,	466	
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Whole number September 1, 1906,		503

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## MAINTENANCE.

Paid water department, stock and labor,	\$150 00
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Respectfully submitted,

PAUL F. BABBIDGE,

Inspector.

## REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON WATER WORKS, SEWERS AND DRAINS.

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*To the City Government of the City of Keene:*

Gentlemen,—The committee on water works, sewers and drains begs leave to make the following report with relation to the West Keene sewer system.

At the beginning of this year the petition of John P. Rust and others for the construction of a system of sewers for West Keene, which had been laid over from the preceding city government, was taken up with the purpose of carrying it through as rapidly and economically as possible.

Your committee laid before you the plan of a system of sewers extending from the Ashuelot river through Pearl street, West street and Park Avenue and the side streets to the east of Park Avenue. The estimate was \$10,-624.31. Your committee asked for an appropriation of \$10,500 which was reduced to \$10,000.00. Construction was begun May 14 and completed September 4. The intention of the committee was to complete the trunk line through Park Avenue, and the line through McKinley street and Russell street to Wheelock street. When these lines were nearly finished we found that the work had cost less than the estimate and that it would therefore be possible to construct the entire system as first planned. An order was accordingly placed for pipe with the request the shipment be rushed forward as rapidly as possible. If this shipment had been on the ground the first of September the entire line could have been put in. The pipe,



however, came so late that all that could be done was to deliver it on the streets where it will be used next spring. There is now left from the appropriation \$518.94, an amount sufficient to do the work which includes Roosevelt street, Pine Avenue, Wheelock street and Fairview street.

The total expense has been as follows:

Labor,	\$3,209 56
Pipe and cement,	4,656 31
Lumber, brick, tools, land damages, etc.,	1,615 19
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leaving a balance of \$518.94. This will make the entire cost of the system about \$650.00 less than estimated.

The number of houses along the present line is eighty-two, and already thirty-three of these have been connected. There are thirty more houses along the streets through which the line will be laid in the spring.

The city government for the year of 1907 will have before it the petition of John P. Rust and others for the extension of the system along West street, west of Park Avenue. The estimate as made this year was \$797.22, and from the results of this season's work your committee believes the cost of this line will not exceed the estimate, and recommends that the petition be granted and the sewer constructed. When this is finished the people of West Keene will have a system complete and ample for all demands that may be put upon it for many years.

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY W. LANE,  
Chairman for the Committee on Water Works,  
Sewers and Drains.

## REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF HIGHWAYS.

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*To His Honor the Mayor and City Councils:*

I herewith transmit the following report for the year ending December 1, 1906.

### LIST OF PROPERTY BELONGING TO THE CITY OF KEENE.

Eight horses, ten harnesses, four carts, one wagon, two tip carts and harnesses, three sleds, twelve blankets, sixteen snow plows, two snow rollers, one steam roller, two large and one small roller, one Climax road machine, one Champion road machine, two plows, one hardpan plow, seventeen picks, four bog hoes, twenty-four shovels, three striking hammers, four face hammers, eight hoes, eight stone pickers, four brush hooks, three hooks, eight iron bars, four augers, one level, two brush scythes and snaths, six saws, one grindstone, seven axes, five iron rakes, five wooden rakes, stone forks, one dump barrow, twenty drills, one derrick, bits and brace, three paving hammers, one ice scraper, two ladders, four brushes, four curry combs, one oil can, twenty-seven lanterns, two small hammers, eight small drills, shims and wedges, ten wrenches, six neck yokes, four forks, one vise, one stone boat on wheels, four chains, four spread chains, eight halters, one snow scraper, two screens, twelve whiffletrees, eight fly nets, one Towne macadam scraper, two sanding sleds, six brooms, two canthooks, two tampers, one street cleaning cart and can, 4,000 feet lumber.

## STREET REPAIRS.

Adams street,	\$4 00
Appian Way,	21 00
Appleton street,	17 00
Armory street,	2 00
Ashuelot street,	40 00
Ash Swamp road,	16 25
Baker street,	4 00
Baldwin street,	5 00
Barker street,	1 00
Beaver street,	17 25
Beech street,	8 00
Brook street,	2 00
Butler court,	54 00
Carpenter street,	64 25
Carroll street,	34 00
Castle street,	2 00
Church street,	44 00
Colorado street,	2 00
Court street,	186 45
Cross street,	2 00
Crossfield street,	4 50
Damon court,	6 00
Davis street,	60 50
Dunbar street,	27 00
Eastern avenue,	47 30
East Prospect street,	4 00
Edwards street,	2 00
Elliot street,	12 00
Ellis court,	2 00
Elm street,	80 05
Emerald street,	1 50
Fairview street,	24 25
Forest street,	5 00
Gates street,	4 00
George street,	45 00

Giffin street,	\$10 00
Gilsum street,	7 50
Grant street,	3 00
Green street,	7 00
Grove street,	2 00
Hastings avenue,	27 50
Harrison street,	85 00
High street,	3 25
Howard street,	9 00
Island street,	3 00
Jennison street,	2 00
Kingsbury street,	2 00
Knight street,	1 25
Leverett street,	5 00
Linden street,	8 00
Main street,	105 50
Marlboro street,	47 15
McKinley street,	15 50
Midway street,	7 00
Myrtle street,	2 00
North Lincoln street,	6 75
North street,	10 40
Oak street,	3 00
Park avenue,	19 00
Pearl street,	23 00
Pine street,	15 50
Pine avenue,	2 00
Pine avenue extension,	10 37
Pitcher street,	20 75
Pleasant street,	4 00
Probate street,	2 00
Prospect street,	25 00
Richardson court,	24 00
Roxbury street,	31 10
Rule street,	15 25
Russell street,	6 75
South Lincoln street,	34 00

South street,	\$5 00
Spring street,	12 00
St. James street,	5 00
Sullivan street,	34 65
Summer street,	2 00
Taylor street,	3 00
Terrace street,	17 00
Towns street,	2 00
Union street,	19 40
Valley street,	2 00
Washington street,	122 75
Washington avenue,	23 00
Water street,	80 75
West street,	125 63
Wheelock street,	31 00
Wilber street,	18 00
Wilson street,	48 65
Winchester street,	54 25

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## ROAD REPAIRS.

Abbott road,	\$30 25
Arch street,	10 00
Ash Swamp road,	19 50
Bedaw road,	8 40
Belvedere road,	18 25
Bradford street,	5 65
Branch road, off Marlboro,	20 15
Branch road, near Sullivan line,	87 75
Chesterfield road,	181 65
Concord road,	180 75
Gilsum Brook road,	183 10
Graves road,	18 00
Gilsum old road,	15 35
Grimes road,	18 25
Gunn road,	34 50

Mackey road,	\$4 15
Maple avenue,	10 60
Marlboro road,	261 80
Nims road,	21 00
Jordan road,	12 00
Roxbury road,	30 25
Roxbury, North road,	45 75
Roxbury, South road,	52 75
South Keene depot road,	4 00
Sullivan old road,	28 75
Sullivan, off Gilsum road,	26 75
Sullivan, Smith road,	33 00
Surry East road,	31 00
Surry West road,	71 10
Walpole road,	65 15
Westmoreland old road,	128 00
Westmoreland summit road,	64 50
West Hill roads,	86 75

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BRIDGES.

Labor,	\$293 70
Plank and stringers,	592 08

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MISCELLANEOUS.

Plowing ice,	\$54 75
Snowing Winchester street bridge,	2 00
Snowing Arch bridge,	4 00
Plowing walks,	179 50
Snowing streets,	61 00
Rolling and scraping snow,	46 50
Crushing stone,	204 15
Working gravel banks,	64 00
Replacing street signs,	5 50
Picking stone, etc.,	285 50



Sanding walks,	\$36 25
Trimming trees,	130 50
Cleaning grates and gutters,	315 05
Cleaning square,	64 15
Cleaning walks,	558 00
Repairing fence city pasture,	5 65

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### MACADAM.

Washington street has been repaired and resurfaced with trap rock, from the pavement in front of city hall to Union street. Court street has been repaired and resurfaced from School street to Forest street, making a total of 7,200 square yards at an average cost of 28 cents per square yard.

The following named amounts have been placed to the credit of the department:

Rent city pasture,	\$40 00
Street sprinkling,	1,076 00
Keeping horses, fire department,	260 00
Answering thirteen general alarms,	136 50
Packing and unpacking hydrants,	9 00
Labor on West Keene sewer system,	71 00
Labor for water department,	16 00
For labor and gravel,	32 00
Labor for sewer department,	12 00
Labor on central park,	21 00
Labor for drain department,	25 15
J. Fred Whitcomb, use of tools,	75
Cheshire county, use of boiler,	8 25
Geo. F. Ball, error on voucher,	12 75
Frederic A. Faulkner, removing tree,	5 00
Mrs. Willard, for labor,	15 00
J. Cushing & Co., error on bill,	30
Charles W. Morse, stone,	3 00
Labor on trees,	5 00
Trimming trees,	13 50

I would respectfully recommend:

1st. That steel I beams be used as stringers on all small bridges.

2d. That one substantial bridge be built at the Wilson mills, West Keene, to take the place of the two wooden ones now there.

3d. That extensive repairs be made on bridge at foot of Fall Hill, on Gilsum road, also the large bridge across the Branch near Mr. Ellis'.

Very respectfully,

ARTHUR A. WALLACE,

Superintendent of Streets.

Keene, December 1, 1906.

## REPORT OF PARK COMMISSIONER.

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*To His Honor the Mayor and Gentlemen of the City Councils :*

During the year 1886, Mr. George A. Wheelock, one of Keene's public spirited men, presented to the city, the old fair grounds in West Keene, to which he afterwards added seventeen acres, the whole to be used for a public park.

Mr. Wheelock was a true lover of nature, and all through his life, a careful student of the natural sciences. During his later years, he was specially interested in forestry, and today, Wheelock Park bears witness to his thorough knowledge and skill in this direction.

When in June, 1888, the office of park commissioner was created by the city councils, George A. Wheelock was unanimously elected to that position, which he so acceptably filled until the time of his death, June 17, 1906.

In 1889, Mr. Wheelock presented to the city twelve acres of land on Beech hill, situated northerly of the reservoir. This he dedicated to the children of the city, and named it The Children's Wood.

In 1897, he presented another tract of eighty-three acres adjacent to The Children's Wood, to be known as Robin Hood Forest.

These generous gifts made by Mr. Wheelock while living, together with the Ladies' Park, constitute the Forest Park System of Keene, which for the most part consists of land in its natural state, with the exception of the fair ground, now known as Wheelock Park.

Mr. Wheelock's bequest of \$5,000 to aid in forestry work in the city parks, including the Minister lot, will be turned over to the city during the ensuing year.

The expenditures of the department appear in the finance committee's report.

J. S. TAFT,  
Park Commissioner.

Keene, December 10, 1906.

In Memoriam.

George Alexander Wheelock.

Born in Winchester, N. H., Jan. 21, 1816;

Died in Keene, N. H., June 17, 1906.

A. B., HARVARD UNIVERSITY, 1836.

DONOR OF THE PRINCIPAL PUBLIC PARKS OF KEENE.

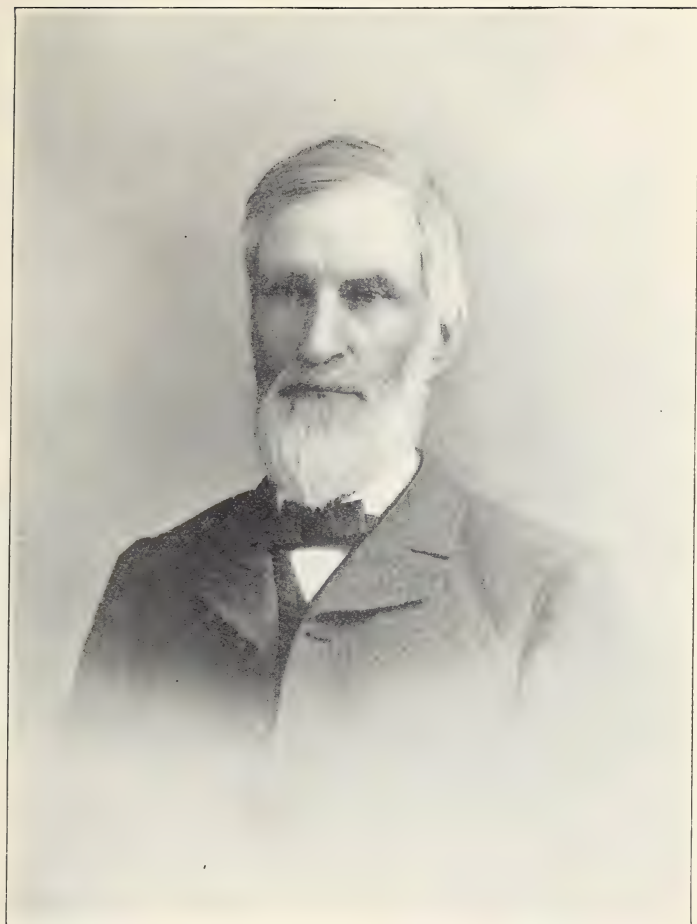
PARK COMMISSIONER, 1888-1906.

MEMBER OF SUPERINTENDING SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 1860-1867.

MEMBER OF BOARD OF EDUCATION OF UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT,  
1867-1885.

PRESIDENT OF ASHUELOT NATIONAL BANK, 1875-1906.

A CITIZEN WHO FILLED MANY IMPORTANT POSITIONS  
WITH RARE FIDELITY AND ABILITY.



Geo. A. Wheelock





REPORT OF  
CHIEF ENGINEER OF FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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*To His Honor the Mayor and Gentlemen of the City Councils:*

The closing of the fiscal year ending November 30, finds the department fully up to the standard as regards apparatus and equipment, and with a full quota of men in each company.

You will note from the following table of fires and losses that the department has responded to fifty-six alarms, thirteen bell alarms and forty-three still alarms. The net loss of \$355.00 is much smaller than the preceding year, representing less than one-half of one per cent of the estimated value involved, and only a trifle more than ten per cent of the actual loss. These figures emphasize the fact that the firemen of Keene handle fires most admirably and are not only entitled to merited praise from the engineers and officers; but also, it seems to me from the citizens in general.

The city has appropriated the sum of \$125.00 to provide hot water for the accomodation of the men at the fire station, which will be greatly appreciated when it is installed. One pair of horses has been purchased for the steamer to replace a pair considered unfit for the work.

The inventory of the property of the department is as follows:

Amoskeag steamer No. 1, Button steamer No. 2, one hand engine, Deluge hose wagon, Steamer hose wagon, two hook and ladder trucks, two jumpers, 5,500 feet No.

1 hose, 1,000 feet. No. 2 hose, 350 feet hose loaned to water department, eight extinguishers, four engineers' lanterns, two hydrant gates, two Y couplings, one Siamese coupling, one cellar pipe, six ladder dogs, uniforms, rubber coats and rubber boots for the department, suitably marked with the names of the several companies, one sled for the Hook and Ladder Co., one sled for Steamer Hose Co., one sled for the Deluge Co., and four sets swing harness.

I make the following recommendations :

**HOSE.**—The purchase of 1,000 feet of hose to keep up with the depreciation. The best quality of hose should always be purchased, experience in the past having demonstrated that it was the cheapest in the end.

**REPAIRS.**—The purchase of a new body for the sled of the hook and ladder truck and needed repairs to the steamer hose wagon. The painting of the rest of the fire station, part of which has been done the past year.

**FIRE ALARM TELEGRAPH.**—The purchase of four new boxes to be located as follows: Fire station, George street, corner of Sullivan street, upper Elm street and upper Court street at or near the plant of the Keene Glue Company. The unreliability at times of our fire alarm system, together with its high cost of maintainance, strongly urge that improvements in this important branch of the fire service be effected in the near future. I would especially call attention of the committee on fire alarm to these matters and ask their careful consideration.

**NEW APPARATUS.**—The purchase of a combination chemical and hose wagon. I do not wish to convey the idea that the department is lacking in present equipment or unable to meet any emergencies which may arise; but there are many occasions when such a piece of apparatus would answer all purposes, prevent loss by water, promptly reach a fire outside of our hydrant service and do effective work or hold the fire in check until the arrival of the steamer, it being equally serviceable as a chemical or hose

wagon. It is in my opinion far better that the department be at all times, a little ahead in matters of apparatus and equipment.

The complaints heretofore received by the department from the district in which the city collects garbage, seem to have been materially lessened by this scheme since its adoption.

## FIRES AND LOSSES FOR YEAR ENDING NOVEMBER 30, 1906.

Date.	Time.	Box.	Location.	Owner.	Property.	Estimated Value.	Loss.	Insurance Paid.	Origin.
1905.									
Dec. 3.	12:30 p.m.	9	Roxbury st.	Odd Fellows.	Livery stable.	\$3,500	\$180.00	\$130.00	Overheat'd stove
" 18	10:15 p.m.	9	Rear city hall.	F. L. Carey.	Store house.	2,784	1,200.00	1,000.00	Matches.
1906.									
Feb. 6	12:40 p.m.	22	Court st.	F. & C. Mfg. Co.	House.	3,500	111.32	111.32	Chimney.
" 28	11:00 a.m.	14	Grove st.	L. A. Fuller.	House.	2,000	10.00		Chimney.
Mar. 29	12:45 p.m.	16	Davis st.	Russell Hill.	House.	3,500	45.00	45.00	Chimney.
Apr. 1	6:45 p.m.	18	Marlboro st.						False.
Aug. 14	1:10 a.m.	22	Elm st.	Lewis Nalibo.	House.	2,200	1,500.00	1,500.00	Unknown.
" 27	7:47 p.m.	17	Appleton st.	G. F. Ball.	Brick kiln.	300	150.00		
Sept. 2	12:31 p.m.	8	Main st.	N. G. Gurnsey.	Block.	65,000	65.40	65.40	Lace curtain.
" 7	11:50 a.m.	13	Church st.	C. Putney.	House.	2,000	5.60	5.60	Chimney.
Oct. 4	4:15 a.m.	37	Mechanic st.	Imp. Package Co.	Manufactory.	100	25.00		Dust on boilers.
Nov. 2	12:20 p.m.	52	B. & M. yard.	N. E. Telephone Co.	Telephone poles	1,400	50.00		
" 12	5:20 p.m.	18	Dartmouth st.	Harry Pierce.	House.			30.00	Kerosene lamp.
						\$85,744	\$3,242.32	\$2,887.32	

December, 1905.—Five still alarms; all chimneys.

January, 1906.—Three still alarms; all chimneys.

February, 1906.—Six still alarms; three chimneys, one unknown, one brush, one grass.

March, 1906.—Four still alarms; two chimneys, one ashes in wooden barrel, one grass.

April, 1906.—Three still alarms; two chimneys, one brush.

May, 1906.—Two still alarms; one chimney, one rats' nest.

June, 1906.—One still alarm; chimney.

July, 1906.—Two still alarms; one ashes, one sparks from engine.

August, 1906.—Five still alarms; four chimneys, one gasoline.

September, 1906.—Four still alarms; two chimneys, one rubbish, one shavings.

October, 1906.—Three still alarms; all chimneys.

November, 1906.—Five still alarms; four brush, one chimney.

Forty-three still alarms; thirteen bell alarms.

I take pleasure in further reporting that harmony prevails between the officers and men of the several companies, that they appreciate their quarters and the liberal spirit manifested by the city councils in promptly providing for the needs of the department. It also gives me pleasure to speak of the cordial relations which exist among the members associated with me on the board of engineers who, with the officers and members of the department have efficiently supported me during this term, and to them and the city councils my thanks are hereby returned.

LOUIS A. NIMS,  
Chief Engineer.

Keene, N. H., December 10, 1906.

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#### FIRE ALARM TELEGRAPH.

Location of boxes and instructions to firemen and officers:

- Box 5. City Hospital.
- Box 8. Main street, corner Railroad street.
- Box 9. Central Square, on city hall.
- Box 13. Beaver Mills office.
- Box 14. Water street, corner Grove street.
- Box 15. Water street, corner South Lincoln street.
- Box 16. Main street, corner Marlboro street.
- Box 17. Main street, corner Baker street.
- Box 18. Marlboro street, corner Kelleher street.
- Box 19. Lower Marlboro street.
- Box 22. Central Telephone office.
- Box 23. Roxbury street, corner Beech street.
- Box 24. Beaver street, corner Dover street.
- Box 25. Washington street, near Giffin's mill.
- Box 26. Spring street, corner Brook street.
- Box 32. Elm street, corner High street.
- Box 33. Washington street, corner Gilsum street.
- Box 35. Court street, corner Prospect street.



- Box 37. Mechanic street, corner Pleasant street.
- Box 42. West street, corner School street.
- Box 43. West street, corner Ashuelot street.
- Box 46. Court street, corner School street.
- Box 52. Emerald street, corner Ralston street.
- Box 53. Winchester street, corner Island street.
- Box 54. Island street, Fowler's box shop.
- Box 57. Pearl street, on third pole south of track.
- Box 65. South Keene.
- Box 72. West Keene.
- 12. Military call.

## SIGNALS.

The following signals were adopted by the board of engineers, January, 1906, and are as follows:

1. The superintendent has the right to strike one blow upon the bells at any time, to test the circuit; also to ring in one round from any box, preceded by a single blow exactly five minutes after the noon stroke, on Saturdays, for the purpose of testing the boxes.

2. The signal 22 repeated on the bells is to call the firemen to their houses for further orders.

3. Two blows struck upon the bells signifies a still alarm.

4. In case of a serious fire the engineers may cause a second alarm to be sounded from the nearest box. A second alarm is given by striking ten blows, followed by the box number.

5. As box 9, which is located on city hall, is still likely to be used for a general alarm, and to be pulled for a fire which is not in or near the square, the engineers will ring in a second alarm or four full rounds from this box, if there is fire of any magnitude near the square.

6. The old alarm on city hall will only be rung between 9 p. m. and 6 a. m., except in case of serious fire.

7. Arrangements have been made with the Beaver Mills Co., and alarms of fire will be given on their whistle same as by the bells.

## REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF FIRE ALARM TELEGRAPH.

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*To His Honor the Mayor and Gentlemen of the City Councils :*

The fire alarm telegraph system comprises twenty-five miles of wire, twenty-eight fire alarm boxes, two tower strikers, attached to the city hall bell and the Court Street Congregational church bell, respectively, a battery of one hundred and forty cells, a relay battery of fifty dry cells, open circuit, furnishing power for a number of private call bells for firemen.

Box numbered 54 located at Fowler's box shop, on Island street, and box numbered 57 on Pearl street, at third pole south of the Boston & Maine railroad crossing, are new boxes, which the committee on fire department have purchased and located this year.

Two alarm boxes, numbered 52 and 72 have been built over and are as good as new.

Loop No. 2 has been renewed with suitable wire wherever it is placed upon poles and with insulated wire in the underground conduit, from city hall to Church street.

The chief engineer has caused the best alarm cards to be printed ever used by the department. They are large in size, printed in figures and letters plainly seen in any part of the rooms or offices where they are placed.

I thank all in authority and the citizens for bearing patiently with me while trying to familiarize myself with the above system.

ALBERT W. GREEN,  
Superintendent of Fire Alarm Telegraph.

## REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF KEENE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

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*To the Honorable Mayor and City Councils :*

The trustees of the public library submit the following report :

We are happy to be able to note in presenting our annual report, an increase in the circulation and field of usefulness of the library which is encouraging as will be seen by the librarian's statistics submitted herewith.

The work of recataloging which took so much of the librarian's time last year having been completed, she has been able to devote more time to routine work and to the execution of plans which she had formulated for increasing the interest in and usefulness of the institution. The results reached are encouraging.

The librarian has also submitted a statement of things which the library needs, with the reasons for the same, which we consider worthy of the careful attention of your honorable bodies as well as of the citizens generally.

It becomes our duty at this time to again urgently present to the councils the imperative need the library so keenly feels for a proper fireproof stack or book room, such as all libraries of any pretensions have. This is needed for two principal reasons, first, to provide a place of safe keeping for the valuable books which years of careful selection, many gifts from friends and valuable legacies have provided; secondly, to give room for such growth and expansion as is vital to the very life and purpose of a public library.

Today we find all available space in the book room occupied and insufficient room to store the volumes we now have. Some way must be provided to give room for more books if this institution is to meet the reasonable wants and requirements of the public.

During the year the trustees have received from the executors of the late Mrs. Julia B. Thayer the legacy of \$10,000 which she left to the library trustees, the income only to be used for the benefit of the library in such manner and at such times as the trustees may deem desirable.

In order to properly receive, invest and care for this fund it was necessary for this board to make some changes in its by-laws and to appoint a treasurer to have custody of its funds under suitable conditions and restrictions.

The trustees have held their usual regular quarterly meetings and such regular meetings as have been necessary, and have gladly received and considered any suggestions made by the public, as they are always ready to do.

The trustees wish to again acknowledge the exhibitions of Library Art Club pictures which have been continued through the generosity of a friend and which are much appreciated by many patrons.

For further information and statistics we refer you to the librarian's report herewith submitted.

MARY A. A. PRENTISS,  
Secretary.

December 5, 1906.

## REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN.

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*To the Board of Trustees of the Keene Public Library:*

Report of the librarian for the year ending December 1, 1906.

### STATISTICS.

Total number of accessions, Dec. 1, 1906,	15,440
Total number of actual volumes, Dec. 1, 1905,	13,421
Number of volumes by purchase,	659
Number of volumes by gift,	71
Number of volumes by binding periodicals,	72
Total additions, fiction,	355
Total additions, miscellaneous,	375
Number of volumes lost and discarded,	129
Net additions,	601
Total number of volumes, Dec. 1, 1906,	14,151
Number of volumes rebound,	183
Number of cards issued to borrowers,	365
Largest number of volumes issued in one month, March,	3,718
Largest number of volumes issued in one day, February 10,	268
Least number of volumes issued in one day, June 21,	35
Average circulation per day,	110
Number of volumes issued during the year, miscellaneous,	6,124
Number of volumes issued during the year, fiction,	26,926
Total circulation,	33,050
Total circulation last year,	28,471
Increase circulation,	4,579
Number readers using reference and reading rooms, approximately,	8,639



## CASH ACCOUNT.

## RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand, December 1, 1905,	\$8 15
Received from fines and sale of catalogs,	135 16

## EXPENDITURES.

Paid to city clerk,	\$75 00
Expended for express, supplies and incidentals,	34 45
Expended for books,	10 90
Cash on hand Dec. 1, 1906,	22 96

## ACCESSIONS, APRIL, 1905, DECEMBER 1, 1906.

Philosophy,	14
Religion,	11
Social science,	41
Natural science,	27
Useful arts,	28
Fine arts,	27
Literature,	48
History,	23
Travel,	46
Biography,	47
Periodicals,	88
Juvenile,	143
Fiction,	302
Reference, including government publications,	58

## . YEAR'S WORK.

The library has issued for home use 33,050 volumes during the year, an increase of 4,579 over last year; the largest circulation in one day was February 10, when 268 books were put into circulation. 365 cards have been issued to borrowers, a larger number than last year, showing that the library has been brought within reach of many new families. A record of readers and students



using the reference and reading rooms, and gives approximately 8,639, an average of twenty-five a day. 730 volumes have been added to the library, 659 by purchase and 71 by gift. The most important gift has been "Japan, described and illustrated" in fifteen volumes bound in Japanese style, presented by Mrs. G. C. Hill. The other gifts were largely state and United States government publications and pamphlets.

A new set of Cooper, and partial sets of Charles King, Louisa M. Alcott and twenty volumes of St. Nicholas have replaced sets or worn and wanting copies. A new encyclopedia, "The Americana" and Hastings' "Dictionary of the Bible" have been added to the reference room.

The usual bulletin boards have been prepared and the lists of new books have been published in the daily and weekly Sentinel from time to time.

Reference shelves have been set aside for the use of teachers in connection with their school work, and to those using this opportunity of bringing the library books into more frequent use among the students, it has proved very successful.

Several new periodicals are to be placed in the reading rooms this coming year, to fill needs which have been felt in the past, especially among the magazines for the younger readers.

A new bulletin of books, added since the publication of the last fiction list in April, 1905, is being prepared and will be ready for the printer as soon as the new French books are received, that they may be included.

It has been decided by the book committee to use the income from the Ingersoll fund, for the purchase of books along some special line each year, and it will be used this year for the French books. Suitable book-plates will be used for all books purchased from this money. Prof. Bracq, of Vassar college, who ordered the previous list of French books, has kindly offered to compile and order this one, supplementing the titles we already have.

The pictures from the Library Art Club have been greatly appreciated by those interested in art. Two picture exhibits aside from the Art Club pictures have been requested, and will, I am sure, prove most interesting and instructive. One, a private collection on "Antique furniture," and the second, "A collection of pictures sent out by the New Hampshire Society for prevention of tuberculosis," which is accompanied by books along parallel lines of reading.

A three weeks' vacation was given the librarian during the month of August, and during her absence, Miss Sherman was left in charge, Miss McGregor assisting her.

Respectfully submitted,

MAUD E. BLOOMINGDALE.

## REPORT OF CITY CLERK.

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*To His Honor the Mayor and Gentlemen of the City Councils:*

I herewith submit the report of my receipts from December 1, 1905, to December 1, 1906:

Rent of stores,	\$914 40
Rent of Perry place,	62 50
Rent of land, part of city hall lot,	20 00
Rent of reservoir,	200 00
Rent of city pasture,	40 00
Rent of Fairfield pasture,	15 00
Dog license fees to May 1, 1906,	4 06
Dog license fees from May 1, to Dec. 1,	1,023 93
House numbers,	90
Miscellaneous licenses,	137 50
Billiard and pool table licenses,	136 25
Junk dealers' licenses,	135 00
Cemetery funds for investment,	1,500 00
Public library fines,	75 00
Histories of Keene,	166 50
Vital statistics of the town of Keene,	64 55
L. W. Holmes, taxable costs,	532 86
Intelligence office license,	2 00
A. M. Stanwood, concrete,	18 97
Mary A. Ball, concrete,	14 14
Charles W. Morse, concrete,	7 00
Charles C. Buffum, concrete,	16 98
George O. Hayward, concrete,	18 26

Dividend, supt. cemeteries, Keene Five	
Cents Saving Bank,	\$130 97
Cheshire County, use of boiler,	8 25
J. Fred Whitcomb, use of tools,	75
Pearson Bros., error on voucher,	2 65
George F. Ball, error on voucher,	12 75
Robert W. Bundy, sale of horse,	125 00
Frederic A. Faulkner, removing tree,	5 00
Mrs. Willard, labor,	15 00
J. Cushing & Co., error on grain bill,	30
Charles W. Morse, rotten stone,	3 00
Sarah E. Ellis, care of Louisa Gayton,	30 00
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	\$5,439 47
I have paid to the city treasurer the sum of	\$5,439 47
The sales of the History of Keene to date	
amount to the sum of	\$1,958 50
The sales of the Vital Statistics of the	
Town of Keene to the sum of	\$100 30
	FRANK H. WHITCOMB,
	City Clerk.

Keene, December 1, 1906.

## REPORT OF CITY MESSENGER.

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*To His Honor the Mayor and Gentlemen of the City Councils:*

The collections for the use of city hall for the year ending November 30, 1906, amount to the sum of \$2,097, collected and deposited by the following named persons:

Joseph F. Emmons,	\$42 50
Wm. J. Wheelock,	20 00
Albert W. Green,	2,034 '50
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	\$2,097 00

I have also deposited the sum of \$3.00, the proceeds of an electric bell sold.

Several much needed improvements have been made in the city hall during the year. New folding settees, which were ordered by the municipal government of 1905, were received and placed in the hall the first week in January, 1906, a new arrangement for seating was prepared by Engineer Wadsworth, a line plate made and the plans issued by the city instead of being the property of local managers as in former years. The opera chairs and their arrangement add much to the comfort of the people and the attractiveness of the audience room. A new ticket office has been added on the south side of the building, with every convenience for the sale of tickets and the comfort of the ticket agent, affording greater safety to the people who congregate at the entrance at the beginning of an entertainment. Steel sheathing has been provided for the sides of the proscenium, that part of the stage be-

ing badly mutilated, on account of being most exposed to hard usage. Galvanized iron now covers the rail in front of the foot lights, where much of the heavy scenery has to be handled.

In order to darken the hall in the afternoon, for a matinee moving picture attraction, black curtains have been added, making the conditions perfectly satisfactory to operators.

Respectfully,

ALBERT W. GREEN,  
City Messenger.

Keene, December 6, 1906.



## REPORT OF OVERSEER OF POOR.

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*To His Honor the Mayor and Gentlemen of the City Councils :*

I herewith submit the annual report for the year ending December 1, 1906.

During the past year I have furnished aid to the county poor as follows:

Mrs. Mary Crouch,	\$60 00
Mrs. Joseph Laporte,	12 00
Mrs. Daniel Kelleher,	133 95
Mrs. Sarah Sharkey,	19 90
Wilford LaNois,	7 93
Mrs. E. W. Hadley,	74 21
Mrs. L. Seavey,	60 00
Mrs. Hattie Hastings,	96 00
Mrs. Abner Sprague,	120 00
Mrs. M. Champaigne,	28 21
Mrs. Everett Newell,	76 00
Mrs. Lewis Castor,	16 85
Charles Hutchinson,	24 69
Mrs. Burton Towne,	92 56
Mrs. Clara Fruean,	31 60
Mrs. George Clasby,	82 70
Mrs. Martha Griffith,	78 38
Miss C. B. Hastings,	96 00
Mrs. Mary Bigelow,	47 27
Miss Nellie Mahar,	73 91

Mrs. Ella King,	\$102 88
Miss Ida Pierce,	73 91
Mrs. Frank Burcham,	75 50
Sullivan children,	192 00
Mrs. Charles Britton,	66 00
Mrs. Mary Glynn,	38 68
Mrs. William I. Wood,	87 00
Edward Willard,	45 00
Oscar Stromgrain,	31 20
Charles Parkhurst,	20 05
Mrs. George Golden,	73 92
Willis A. Tupper,	21 80
Charles Seward,	24 60
Timothy Curran,	113 73
Mrs. Emily Blanchard,	120 00
E. A. Clark,	96 00
Mrs. Mary O'Neil,	48 00
Mrs. Margaret Southwick,	48 00
Mrs. Charles Burns,	15 00
Mrs. Arbella Robinson,	78 00
Mrs. Kate Donovan,	60 00
Mrs. Isabel Carney,	96 00
Patrick Hickey,	48 00
Mrs. Mark Barron,	96 00
F. H. Hall,	2 30
Charles Fenlason,	66 30
David Fish,	55 71
Fred Schmitt,	20 57
Richard Keyes,	21 93
— O'Brien,	3 87
Dennis O'Connor,	17 00
Joseph O'Connor,	21 73
Mrs. — Hill,	5 07
Fisher child,	6 00
Mrs. — St. John,	5 75
Charles E. Fish,	2 00
Arthur Punt,	1 98

John McNally,	\$1 15
Balley Fish,	5 00
James Craig,	21 57
Barton Brown,	44 79
Mary Carlson,	47 61
Ralph Denno,	18 50
Annie Larkin,	1 20
— Oliver,	2 40
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	\$3,275 86

#### AID TO DEPENDENT SOLDIERS AND THEIR FAMILIES.

Edward Baker,	\$140 00
George Hopkins,	15 90
Mrs. Mary J. Barlow,	84 50
Mrs. J. L. Britton,	72 00
Mrs. Harriet A. Hewitt,	1 80
Mrs. Eliza M. Stanley,	24 00
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	\$338 20

#### CITY PAUPERS.

Mrs. Ellen Hanley,	\$176 00
Mrs. C. C. Parker,	96 00
Miss E. A. Bailey,	72 00
Oscar W. Spaulding,	24 00
Mrs. S. A. Carpenter,	96 00
Mrs. Timothy Ryan,	120 00
Nathan Patch,	87 00
Mrs. Nellie Lee,	39 88
Sumner Baker,	173 20
W. H. Spalter, stationery,	1 30
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	\$885 38

In the amount expended for city paupers, \$173.20 is for paupers in institutions outside of the city.

E. H. FLETCHER,  
Overseer of Poor.

## REPORT OF CITY PHYSICIAN.

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*To the Honorable Mayor and City Government of Keene:*

I submit my report as city physician for the year 1906.

We have had no serious epidemics during the year.

There has been one birth and two deaths; causes of deaths being internal injuries and intestinal tuberculosis.

The following diseases have been treated: Colds, intercostal neuralgia, alcoholism, laryngitis, paresis, asthma, eczema, intestinal and pulmonary tuberculosis, dementia, burns, tonsilitis, epistaxis, pelvic infection.

There have been treated at the police station, five cases. I have made ninety house visits, and have treated eight patients at office.

CHARLES S. WALKER.

Keene, December 3, 1906.

## REPORT OF BOARD OF HEALTH.

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### *To the City Councils of Keene:*

During the past year the usual amount of business has come before this board, and has been acted upon and disposed of in the ordinary way, but nothing of unusual interest to the public.

Several cases of diphtheria and scarlet fever have been reported by the different physicians, but they have been of a mild type and the patients have all recovered.

There were in all ten cases of diphtheria and seventeen cases of scarlet fever and a small number of cases of measles.

There have been no deaths, as the result of any contagious disease above mentioned in the city for the year.

CHARLES GALE SHEDD,  
L. WELLINGTON,  
F. D. WORCESTER,

Board of Health.

Keene, December 1, 1906.

REPORT OF  
BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF PLUMBERS.

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*To the City Councils of Keene:*

During the past year we have issued nine renewals of plumbers licenses and have collected the sum of \$6.50, which amount we have paid to the city treasurer.

L. WELLINGTON,  
D. W. MITCHELL,

Board of Examiners of Plumbers.

Keene, December 1, 1906.



REPORT OF  
SUPERINTENDENT OF CEMETERIES.

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*To his Honor the Mayor and Gentlemen of the City Councils:*

The undersigned herewith presents his report for the year ending November 30, 1906, as follows:

The general care of the cemeteries has received the customary attention and special care given to all lots for which provision is made, either by funds held in trust by the city or at the expense of the owners. The number of lots receiving this special care is increasing yearly, which is a gratification to all who are interested in our cemeteries.

Repairs have been made on water pipes, drains, ditches, avenues and walks as occasion demanded.

A fence has been built on the line between Greenlawn cemetery and land of Henry A. Derby, extending from Beaver brook to Woodland cemetery, and a substantial stone foundation placed under the north end of the tool house which was settling in a dangerous manner.

Quite a number of lots have been sold and an unusually large number of lots have been graded and improved this year.

My receipts for the year are as follows:

Dec. 1905. Sexton work, \$44.50, labor,  
\$5.50, loam, \$3.75, fertilizer, \$1.75,  
grass seed, .50, collected on lots sold,  
\$75.00, care of lots, \$193.00, O. J.  
Howard, use of lowering device, \$1.50, \$325.50

Jan. 1906. Sexton work, \$29.00, fertilizer, \$1.00, collected on lots sold, \$19.00, care of lots, \$88.00,	\$137 00
Feb. Sexton work, \$44.00, labor, \$4.00, loam, \$3.00, fertilizer, .75, grass seed, .75, collected on lots sold, \$65.00, care of lots, \$45.00,	162 50
Mar. Sexton work, \$54.00, labor, \$3.25, loam, \$1.75, fertilizer, \$1.00, grass seed, .50, O. J. Howard, use of lowering device, \$1.50,	91 00
Apr. Sexton work, \$55.50, labor, \$9.00, loam, \$5.25, fertilizer, \$1.25, grass seed, \$1.00, collected on lots sold, \$131.00, care of lots, \$12.00,	215 00
May. Sexton work, \$68.00, labor, \$13.50, loam, \$10.00, fertilizer, \$2.25, grass seed, \$2.00, collected on lots sold, \$95.00, care of lots, \$32.00,	223 25
June. Sexton work, \$74.00, labor, \$8.00, loam, \$6.00, fertilizer, \$1.00, grass seed, .75, collected on lots sold, \$146.50, care of lots, \$25.00,	261 25
July. Sexton work, \$24.50, labor, \$6.75, loam, \$5.75, fertilizer, \$1.00, grass seed, .75, sods, \$2.00, crushed stone, .75, collected on lots sold, \$39.50, care of lots, \$17.00,	98 00
Aug. Sexton work, \$20.50, collected on lots sold, \$30.00, care of lots, \$4.00, crushed stone, .75,	55 25
Sept. Sexton work, \$36.00, labor, \$8.75, loam, \$7.50, fertilizer, \$1.00, grass seed, .75, crushed stone, \$2.50, cement, \$1.00, collected on lots sold, \$15.00, care of lots, \$12.00,	84 50

Oct. Sexton work, \$52.00, labor,  
\$48.50, loam, \$31.50, fertilizer, \$5.75,  
grass seed, \$5.00, collected on lots  
sold, \$125.00, care of lots, \$38.00,  
crushed stone, .25, cleaning stones,  
\$3.50, \$309 50

Nov. Sexton work, \$31.50, labor,  
\$47.50, loam, \$29.25, fertilizer, \$3.75,  
grass seed, \$3.75, collected on lots  
sold, \$50.00, care of lots, \$4.00,  
grass, \$10.00, stone, \$1.50, cement,  
\$2.25, 183 50

Total, \$2,146 25

All of this amount I have deposited with the city  
treasurer, and hold his receipts for the same.

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER E. MASON,  
Superintendent.

## REPORT OF CITY SOLICITOR.

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*To the City Councils of Keene :*

In making my report for the present year, it seems requisite to call attention only to two proceedings.

One is the case of the Ashuelot National Bank against the city, in which the bank claims title to the property north of the city hall known as the Perry place. In November, 1905, the Supreme Court rendered an opinion in this case which was unsatisfactory to all parties concerned, since it failed to decide the ownership of the property, and held that there were insufficient facts stated in the report of the case which was transferred to the Supreme Court, to enable it to determine the controversy, although all the facts which were considered in any way pertinent to the case were reported. Since then the case has been reinstated, the additional facts found and reported, and a decision may be expected early in 1907. Whether such decision will be finally conclusive upon the title is uncertain, as there is a possibility that in the event of a decision adverse to the bank, the question might then be open whether the heirs of the late Henry O. Coolidge had any rights in the property.

The other proceeding is the appeal of certain citizens from the layout of the highway from Roxbury street to Washington street, running in part on the Perry place. The question of the rights of these citizens to make the appeal is in controversy in the case, and a decision from the Supreme Court upon this point may be expected early in March next.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN E. ALLEN,

December 1, 1906.

City Solicitor.

## REPORT OF JUSTICE OF POLICE COURT.

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*To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen:*

The justice of the police court submits the following report for the year ending December 1, 1906.

Number of civil cases entered, 10; number of complaints entered, 579; for the following named offences, to wit:

Adultery,	1
Breaking, entering and stealing,	5
Breaking and entering,	1
Embezzlement,	1
Larceny,	13
Violating liquor law,	22
Concealing death of bastard child,	1
Aiding in concealment of death of bastard child,	1
Neglecting to report birth of child,	1
Obtaining money by false pretence,	1
Murder,	1
Rude and disorderly conduct,	7
Rude, indecent and disorderly conduct,	1
Escaping from house of correction,	9
Being drunk and disorderly,	3
Cruelty to child,	1
Disorderly conduct,	1
Keeping disorderly house,	2
Assault,	13
Assault with intent to kill,	1
Being idle person,	2
Being idle and disorderly person,	1

Being stubborn child,	4
Stealing horse,	1
Using profane and indecent language,	2
Keeping toy pistol for firing explosive caps for sale,	1
Depositing rubbish in street,	1
Being drunk,	460
Malicious mischief,	1
Discharging cannon cracker without permission,	1
Evading car fare,	1
Fraudulently disposing of property,	1
Disturbing public school,	1
Going about begging,	1
Cruelty to horse,	4
Cruelty to horses and cattle,	1
Discharging pistol in compact part of city without authority,	1
Brawl and tumult,	1
Smoking in city hall, in violation of ordinance,	2
Violating terms of state prison parole,	1
Truancy,	1
Committing unnatural and lascivious act,	1
Robbery,	1
Riding bicycle on sidewalk,	2

One libel for confiscation of liquor seized by officer serving complaint for illegal sale of liquor was filed and 20 gallons of whiskey were declared forfeited and turned over to Cheshire county.

Persons held to answer to superior court,	27
Committed for want of bail,	13
Tried and acquitted,	18
Not prosecuted to judgment,	18
Sent to Industrial school,	8
Who paid fines,	201
Committed for non-payment of fines,	147
Held to answer to superior court and com- mitted without bail,	3



Sentenced to house of correction at Westmoreland,	83
Sentenced to jail,	12
Returned to Westmoreland on complaint for escape,	9
Ordered to furnish bond to keep the peace,	1
Committed for not furnishing bond to keep peace,	1
Discharged on payment of costs,	2
Delivered to custody of Humane society,	1
Discharged upon condition that they leave town,	11
Cases in which sentence was suspended,	31
Cases in which sentence was suspended on payment of costs,	2
Cases continued during good behavior,	2
Suspended cases brought forward for sentence,	1
Amount of fines paid to justice,	\$741 00
Amount of fines deposited by justice,	641 00
Amount in hands of justice,	100 00

L. W. HOLMES,  
Justice.

Keene, December 1, 1906.

## REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF SYMONDS FUND.

*To the Honorable Mayor and City Councils:*

I herewith submit a list of the securities and investments of the Symonds fund:

Carrie M. Davis, local mortgage,	\$165 00
Henry H. Haines, local mortgage,	1,000 00
John P. Rust, local mortgage,	2,500 00
Fred Humphrey, real estate,	300 00
Town of Newmarket, N. H., water works	
bond,	1,000 00
City of Concord, N. H., school bond,	1,000 00
City of Woburn, Mass., bonds,	3,000 00
Deposit, Keene Five Cents Savings Bank,	2,389 64
Deposit, Cheshire County Savings Bank,	3,231 83
Deposit, Keene Savings Bank,	6,624 57
Cash on hand,	1,684 79
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	\$22,895 83

W. R. PORTER,  
Treasurer.

## REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR.

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*To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen.*

I herewith submit the following report:

### WATER COLLECTIONS.

Amount collected on 73d assessment,	\$8,510 29
Amount collected on 73d arrears,	390 48
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	\$8,900 87
Amount collected on 74th assessment,	\$9,067 60
Amount collected on prev. assessment,	383 60
Amount collected on arrearages,	208 06
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	\$9,659 26
Amount collected on meters,	\$5,529 02
Amount collected on arrears, meters,	320 81
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	\$5,849 83
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	\$24,409 96

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### TAXES, 1906.

Amount of warrant,	\$114,659 36
Collected and deposited,	\$91,262 09
Discount allowed,	1,437 87
*Uncollected,	21,959 40
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	\$114,659 36

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\*Subject to abatement.

## TAXES, 1905.

Balance last report,	\$24,804 64
Collected and deposited,	\$19,855 95
*Uncollected,	4,948 69
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	\$24,804 64

## TAXES, 1904.

Balance last report,	\$4,893 71
Collected and deposited,	\$2,188 90
*Uncollected,	2,704 81
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	\$4,893 71

## TAXES, 1903.

Balance last report,	\$3,388 57
Collected and deposited,	\$1,358 50
*Uncollected,	2,030 07
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	\$3,388 57

## TAXES, 1902.

Balance last report,	\$1,465 67
Collected and deposited,	\$472 45
*Uncollected,	993 22
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	\$1,465 67

## TAXES, 1901.

Balance last report,	\$1,239 84
Collected and deposited,	\$186 42
*Uncollected,	1,053 42
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	\$1,239 84

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\* Subject to Abatement.

## STREET SPRINKLING.

Amount of assessment,	\$1,308 00	
Balance last report,	546 45	
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Collected and deposited,	\$1,250 00	
Uncollected,	604 45	
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AINSWORTH M. NIMS,		
Collector.		

# VITAL STATISTICS.



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*To His Honor the Mayor and Gentlemen of the City Councils:*

In compliance with an act of the legislature, passed June session 1887, amended by the legislature of 1889, requiring "clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the annual report," I hereby submit the following:

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE CITY OF KEENE, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING NOVEMBER 30, 1906.

Date of Birth.	Name of Child (if any).	Sex and Condition.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father.	Age of Mother.
		Male or Female.	Living or Stillborn.							
1905										
Dec. 1	Harland Edwin	M	L	Edward O. Sterling	Augusta A. Domina	Tinsmith	Keene	Vermont	32	29
" 6	Mary Josephine	F	L	Joseph Simoncau	Lumina Lacroix	Farm hand	Canada	Canada	27	22
" 8	Gertrude Virginia	F	L	David A. Tenney	Leonora Dugan	Elec. engineer	Leominster, Ms.	Leominster, Ms.	31	21
" 8	Stella Mabel	F	L	Gordon J. McLond	Catherine McLoud	Laborer	Bass Rivers, N. B.	Mill Branch, N. B.	21	20
" 9	Edward Gale	M	L	Herb't L. Beverstock	Nina F. Green	Mechanic	Sullivan	Keene	30	29
" 11	Irving Gordon	M	L	Wm. C. W. Demerse	Eululoo T. White	Mechanic	Alstead	Alstead	25	29
" 11	Leon Reginald	M	L	Lawrence Gilbo	Emma Bonvier	Motorman	Bost'n Corn'r N.Y.	Keene	30	33
" 13		F	S	Fred J. Field	Helen M. Cooke	Barber	Andover, Vt.	Boston, Mass.	27	25
" 13	Denzel B.	M	L	Bert Z. Fuller	Alice Hill	Coachman	Peterboro	Greenville	30	26
" 16	Christopher	M	L	Michael Guinnane	Ann Guinnane	Boiler maker	Ireland	Ireland	34	29
" 16	Delia	F	L	Joseph Levine	Rebecca Agulski	Merchant	Russia	Russia	32	31
" 17	William Dudley	M	L	Harry F. Buckmins'r	Addie M. Liscord	Police officer	Keene	Keene		
1881.										
Dec. 19	William J.	M	L	George S. Reid	Louisa Butcher	Farmer	Nova Scotia	Nova Scotia	28	25
1905										
Dec. 21	Richard Sherwin	M	L	Donald S. Cummings	Hattie J. Hamblet	Merchant	Keene	Keene	31	24
" 22	Mary	F	L	Patrick J. Malloy	Annie Sullivan	Clerk	No. Adams, Ms.	Keene	28	30
" 24	Adeline	F	L	Alfred Castro	Mary Sharkey	Box maker	Highgate Falls Vt	Highgate Falls Vt	40	38
" 26		M	L	Sidney Dean	Susan Dean	Laborer	Nova Scotia	Nova Scotia	24	24
" 30	Royden Roland	M	L	Clarence E. Knapp	Daisy E. Devine	Mill hand	Hinsdale	Pittston, Pa.	40	22
1906.										
Jan. 2	Lorne Elton	M	L	Elmore W. Jennison	Emily Curtis	Hostler	Walpole	P. Edward Island	36	29
" 7	Margaret	F	L	Augustus B. Palmer	Annie L. Judd	Insurance	Winchester, Ms.	Holyoke, Mass.	34	28
" 9	Herman Willard	M	L	Willard Emerson	Nellie LaFontaine	Boiler maker	Ellenburgh, N. Y.	Ellenburgh, N. Y.	32	19
" 10	Mary Josephine	F	L	John J. Curran	Nellie Theresa Joy	Boiler maker	Ireland	Ireland	22	18
" 14	Eva Belle	F	L	Wesley E. Wilber	Hiley Burnham	Farmer	Westmoreland	Charlestown	32	28
" 15	John Emerson	M	L	John E. Wyman	Ella M. Bolster	Farmer	Keene	Keene	33	27
" 25	James Phillip	M	L	Philip G. Conwell	Nellie M. Murphy	Provision dealer	Keene	Keene	36	27
" 25	George Edward	M	L	Edward F. Holbrook	Florence A. Richards	Hostler	Crown Point N.Y.	Ireland	22	24
" 26	Russell William	M	L	William G. Stone	Rose E. Craig	Grocer	Keene	Abington, Mass.	29	32
" 31	Nathan Potter	M	L	Horatio Beauregard	Julia Yettaw	Toy shipper Laborer	G. Rapids, Mich.	Springfield, Mass.	20	21
							Allenburgh, N. Y.	Allenburgh, N. Y.	46	41

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		Male or Female.	Living or Stillborn.							
Jan. 31	Dorothy May	F	L	William VanNess	Christian N. Powell	Bill poster	Keene	Scotland	32	30
" 29	Willard Clark	M	L	Harry W. Cheever	Mary Clark	Machinist	Peterboro	Claremont	31	27
Feb. 1	Leona Mary	M	L	Wilfred Rivers	Delvina Beauregard	Wood dealer	Shellburgh, Wis.	Keene	44	34
" 4	Edwin Norman	M	L	William J. Whelan	Emma L. Norman	Capt Sal'n Army	Newfoundland	Newfoundland	32	23
" 5	Margaret Sophia	F	L	Carl B. Swanstrom	Margaret Flanagan	Baggage master	Sweden	Ireland	24	30
" 5	Hazel Blanche	F	L	John H. Simpson	May Faulkner	Plumber	Yonkers, N. Y.	Halifax, N. S.	29	29
" 6	John Joseph	M	L	Cornelius H. Donovan	Emma M. Rule	Boiler maker	Keene	Altoona, N. Y.	30	25
" 8	Antonio	M	L	Louis Papile	Mary Trubbiano	Blacksmith	Italy	Italy	32	25
" 8	Frank Norris	M	L	Robert F. Gurnsey	Maude I. Damon	Merchant	Keene	Keene	32	23
" 17	Elizabeth Agnes	F	S	Elmer A. Watkins	Helen Keddie	Teamster	Walpole	Scotland	36	29
" 18	Mary Josephine	F	L	Michael Crowley	Catherine Finnegan	Laborer	Ireland	Ireland	40	42
" 19	Marie Rosalva	F	L	Omer Syvigny	Elise Syvigny	Loom fixer	Canada	Canada	38	38
" 22	Doris Elizabeth	F	S	Chas. W. Scripture	Delia Neaves	Farmer	Keene	Nova Scotia	28	29
" 28	Joseph Alfred Emile	M	L	Arthur R. Glazier	Emma F. Longway	Machinist	N. Brookfield, Ms	Chicopee, Mass.	29	37
Mar. 2	Annie Josephine	F	L	Ferdinand Dion	Alexina Dubois	Shoemaker	Canada	Michigan	30	25
" 3	Carl David	M	L	John Donahue	Bridget Costello	Boiler maker	Ireland	Ireland	37	39
" 7	Julia May	F	L	Herbert C. Moulton	Mary A. Garfield	Carpenter	Keene	Keene	39	40
" 8	Elizabeth	F	L	George W. Desell	Melvina Murray	Blacksmith	Stowe, Vt.	St. Albans, Vt.	37	38
" 11	Alice May	F	L	Nuzzio diLuzio	Madalina Trubbiano	Spring maker	Italy	Italy	34	24
" 11	Anna Elizabeth	F	L	James F. Gogan	Lizzie Martin	Laster	Ireland	Middlebury, Vt.	33	28
" 11	Anna Elizabeth	F	L	James Higgins	Maggie Daley		Keene	Ireland	32	29
" 11	David John	M	L	James Higgins	Maggie Daley		Keene	Ireland	32	29
" 11	Edward Swan	M	L	Walter G. Smith	Margaret A. Swan	Painter	Springfield, Vt.	Charlestown	29	30
" 14	John Joseph	M	L	John J. O'Neil	Eleanor Nolan	Liquor dealer	Keene	Dublin, Ireland	32	23
" 15	Dwight Franklin	M	L	Everett L. Potter	Mary E. Kingland	Gardener	Fitzwilliam	Belfast, Ireland	27	23
" 16	Marie Lucresse R.	F	L	F. H. Grimard	M. Arselie LeRoux	Laborer	Canada	Canada	46	33
" 25	Eva	F	L	Amedee Fish	Delino Willett	Laster	Canada	Canada	41	35
" 29	Sam Israel	M	L	Louis B. Nalibow	Annie Darling	Junk collector	Russia	Russia	39	26
" 29		M	S	Albert Lemire	Delia Leveille	Laborer	Forest, N. Y.	Canada	27	27

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		Male or Female.	Living or Stillborn.							
Mar 31	Tony	M	L	Dominick Palazzione	Marie Dostilia	Spring maker	Italy	Italy	35	29
Apr. 2	Edward John	M	L	Thomas Woods	Margaret A. Hayes	Shoemaker	Keene	Keene	30	30
" 3	Kathryn Hayes	M	S	Paul V. Rockwood	Bernice E. Vickery	Druggist	Calais, Me.	Dover	25	25
" 7	Walter Randall	F	L	Mathew J. Gorham	Alice M. Leonard	Machinist	Ireland	Boston, Mass.	30	29
" 9	John B.	M	L	Arthur T. Messer	Martha H. Randall	Salesman	Ludlow, Vt.	Keene	23	23
" 10	John Sharkey	M	L	Frank Loranger	Delia Lemire	Laborer	Ellenburg, N. Y.	Ellenburg, N. Y.	33	24
" 10	Dominick	M	L	Philip Pelkey	Delia Sharkey	Brakeman	Keene	Highgate, Vt.	31	31
" 13	Madeline L.	F	L	James B. Duffey	Cordelia F. Gour	Dentist	Keene	Keene	30	30
" 14	Frank Atherdon	M	L	Albert F. Carlin	Mary E. Breen	Chair finisher	Wilton	Keene	42	39
" 15	John James	M	L	Oscar D. Messenger	Goldier M. Slack	Mechanic	Nova Scotia	Norwich, Vt.	26	23
" 16	Wilfred William	M	L	John White	Delia Hickey	Railroad man	Ireland	Ireland	49	45
" 19	Charles Frederick	M	L	George Deyo	Lena Deyo	Teamster	Brattleboro, Vt.	West Swanzy	22	17
" 22	Hamilton	M	L	Louis E. Dickerman	Bertha E. Strouthers	Mechanic	Hinsdale	Dover, Vt.	32	26
May 1	James Francis	M	L	Adin A. Hall	Maria W. Scriptor	Farmer	Mendon, Mass.	Surry	42	32
" 1	Charles Leslie	M	L	William T. Mackey	Mattie M. Shover	Moulder	Keene	Swanzy	34	28
" 9	Mabel Florence	F	L	William T. Mackey	Mattie M. Shover	Moulder	Keene	Swanzy	34	28
" 17	Elmer Sidney, Jr.	F	L	Alexander Ouellette	Emma Lemire	Laborer	Canada	Ellenburg, N. Y.	27	20
" 18	Russell Gould	M	L	Henry A. Pregent	Lizzie Isrel	Wood worker	Ellenburg, N. Y.	Ellenburg, N. Y.	32	28
" 19	Elizabeth Ramona	F	L	Elmer S. Britton	Edie A. Cloud	Clerk	Keene	Island Pond, Vt.	20	19
" 20	Ely May	F	L	Arthur A. Wallace	Eva Gould	Supt. of streets	Troy	Marlboro	29	36
" 25	Paul Burgum	F	L	Bert L. Upton	Grate A. Stone	Sta. fireman	Whitingham, Vt.	Winchester	34	29
" 27	Alice Lucretia	F	L	James Olmstead	Mary Trombley	Mechanic	Vermont	Canada	47	44
June 1	Herman Olaf E.	M	S	Caleb N. Wright	Florence I. Burgum	Laborer	Keene	Keene	26	22
" 2	Joseph Leroy	F	L	Morris G. Stone	Caroline F. Gorges	Machinist	Iona, Mich.	Charlestown PEI	24	25
" 7	Mamie Ida	F	L	Clarence L. Wyman	Lena May Fisher	Sta. engineer	Keene	Keene	26	24
" 8	Mabel Brooks	F	L	Carl M. Lagerberg	Anna E. Sward	Painter	Sweden	Sweden	40	35
" 10	Mabel Brooks	F	L	Napoleon Dupree	Josephine Lausier	Teamster	Dannemora, N. Y.	Dannemora, N. Y.	29	27
" 12	Georges	M	L	Herbert H. Vose	Ella S. Hosford	Teamster	Keene	Florence, Mass.	29	36
" 12	Georges	M	L	George Kent	Florence M. Brooks	Spinner	Canada	Westmoreland	18	18
" 12	Georges	M	L	Germain Martineau	Mary Desrochers	Spinner	Canada	Canada	38	33



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		Male or Female.	Living or Stillborn.							
June 14	John Clifford	M	1	John M. Rogers	Margaret Reason	Machinist	Canada	Keene	28	22
" 16	Marjorie Hazel	F	7	William Henderson	Amelia Jones	Box maker	England	England	42	39
" 22	Joseph Phillip L.	M	1	George Brousseau	Emma Poirer	Teamster	Canada	New Brunswick	30	30
" 22	Francis Raymond	M	1	Leon H. Fellows	Grace A. Pepper	Shoe operative	Keene	Charlestown, Ms.	41	19
" 25	Sylvia Glidden	F	1	Edwin S. Loomis	Josephine Glidden	Real estate	Keene	Watts Flatts, N. Y.	41	31
" 29	Mary Elizabeth	F	2	Alfred S. Henderson	Emma McDonald	Chair maker	Philadelphia, Pa.	Allenburg, N. Y.	28	22
" 30	Catherine Alice	F	1	Edward Hartnett	Martelle Butler	Brakeman	Keene	Keene	19	19
July 3	Carl William	M	1	William Johnson	Selma Pearson	Teamster	Sweden	Sweden	27	26
" 6	Ora Elizabeth	F	1	Donna F. Dugray	Hannah Hannon	Conductor	Ashuelot	Keene	26	24
" 8	Hazel Emily	F	1	Minot E. Wheeler	Lucy B. Nadon	Railroad	Bethel, Vt.	Montreal, P. Q.	28	26
" 8	Josephine Yvone	F	3	Telesph'e Deslauriers	Emma Lobbe	Bookkeeper	Canada	Ware, Mass.	26	22
" 8		M	3	Edward Coffey	Margaret Knox	Laborer	Keene	St. John, N. B.	25	30
" 14	Kenneth Orile	M	6	George O. Dimick	Flora L. Green	Teamster	Shrewsbury, Vt.	Shrewsbury, Vt.	29	25
" 17	Joseph Paul L.	M	3	Eudore Gaudet	Regina Arscault	Machinist	Canada	Canada	30	27
" 19	Beatrice Margaret	F	5	Homer J. White	Alice C. Kerwin	Electrician	Westboro, Mass.	Northbridge, Ms.	34	36
" 26	Grace Inez	F	1	Arthur F. Griswold	Florence Goldsmith	Farmer	Keene	Tuftonboro	26	26
" 27	Henry George	M	1	Ernest E. Raymond	Selina M. Libby	Chef	Keene	Fitzwilliam	27	25
" 28	Mary Elizabeth	F	1	Wm. M. Gilbo	Anna Walsh	Gardener	Scotland	Ireland	42	38
" 29	Victor Albert	M	3	Patrick Lawsure	Evelina Cyr	Laborer	Canada	Canada	31	25
June 22	Lillian Grace M.	F	1	Walter C. Wilber	Daisy Munro	Clerk	Surry	Revere, Mass.	26	26
July 12	Frederick C.	M	4	Fred C. Gluck	Lucy Crossfield	Mechanic	Niagara Falls NY	Canada	25	26
Aug. 3	Albert	M	4	Jean B. Guilmette	Rose A. Maynard	Printer	Canada	Canada	40	31
" 5	Eleanor Celia	F	1	Frank R. Cuthbert	Celia F. Hunt	Chair maker	Gilmst	Peterboro	28	27
" 5	Frank Charles	M	1	Walter L. Moore	Jennie C. Wright	Teamster	Westminster	Keene	24	28
" 7	Mary Josephine	F	1	Joseph VanNess	Nellie O'Mara	B. & M. railroad	Keene	Ireland	39	34
" 12	Roger William	M	2	Marshall B. Franklin	Alice M. Newcomb	Optician	Chesterfield	Roxbury	42	36
" 13	Theodore Frank	M	1	Carl Roache	Nellie McCarthy	Railroad hand	Keene	Keene	27	29
" 18		M	1	George Chabot	Rose E. Bechard	Laborer	Canada	Canada	23	21
" 18	George Harvey	M	3	Ira D. Archibald	Annie Helgard	Minister	Nova Scotia	New Brunswick	29	24
" 18		M	1	George Peters	Rose Simon	Barber	Syria	Syria	21	19


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Date of Birth.	Name of Child (if any).	Sex and Condition.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father.	Age of Mother.
		Male or Female.	Living or Stillborn.							
Aug. 20	Lewis Austin	M	L	1 Lewis D. Henault	Mary C. Stevens	Carpenter	Mt. Lyon, N. Y.	Boston, Mass.	23	22
" 20	Catherine Emily	F	S	2 Samuel Finkelstein	Yulia Wyzansky	Merchant	Russia	Russia	39	38
" 22	Doris Adelaide	F	L	8 Hornidas Soucisse	Agnes St Louis	Laborer	Canada	Plattsburg, N. Y.	51	40
" 27	Rena Helen	F	L	2 Edward W. Coleman	Sadie E. Mann	Express man	W. Springfield Ms	Keene	30	30
" 30	Ruth Gladys	F	L	13 Alexander Amlaw	Annie Mainville	Chair maker	Canada	Ellensburg, N. Y.	42	35
Sept. 1	Alfred Burr, Jr.	M	L	3 Alden B. Taplin	Florence H. Gerald	Boss weaver	Lowell, Mass.	Lowell, Mass.	38	27
" 3	Marion Alice	F	L	5 Frank H. Lombard	Jennie M. Reed	Clerk	Swanzy	Sullivan	28	29
" 4	Edward Gove	M	L	3 Charles Harris	Bessie Hathaway	Fireman	Lowell, Mass.	Middlebury, Vt.	34	32
" 9	Henry William	M	L	3 Robert White	Bessie H. Gove	Laundryman	Charlestown, Ms	Whitefield	29	29
" 9	Lewis Irwin	M	L	1 Joseph Magee	Mary Camdell	Box maker	Ireland	Ireland	30	36
" 14	Adelaide Gertrude	F	L	4 Oliver Barcome	Alice Carpenter	Shoe cutter	Keene	Keene	22	22
" 15	Louis Edward	M	L	4 William F. Hatton	Florence P. Skinner	Machinist	Birmingham Eng	Cheltenham, Eng.	36	35
" 18	William Ralph, Jr.	M	L	5 Ephraim Duhaime	Agnes Croto	Hostler	Canada	Canada	35	29
" 21	Elizabeth Jane	F	L	1 Wm. R. Cossaboom	Edith Harrington	Silversmith	Gardner, Mass.	Templeton, Mass.	23	21
" 22	Fred J.	F	L	6 Patrick Wall	Mary L. Lower	Laborer	Canada	Warren	28	28
" 24	Margaret	F	L	4 Charles O. Rice	Maud Bates	Shoemaker	Hinsdale	Keene	25	21
Oct. 1	Joseph Henry	M	L	6 Fred J. Cummings	Rona E. Ellis	Engineer	Keene	Keene	38	32
" 3	Josephine Ward	F	L	3 James T. Nugent	Emma Jolly	Shoemaker	Roston, Mass.	Keene	44	35
" 12	Marion Howard	F	L	15 David Cheney	Christine Dion	Laborer	Canada	Oldtown, Me.	49	39
" 14	Paul Everett	M	L	3 Fred T. Chase	Florence M. Bradbury	Paill turner	Winchester	Portland, Me.	25	22
" 18	Emogene Maud	F	L	1 Burton M. Russell	Mary E. Pike	Mechanic	Keene	Hampton, N. B.	24	25
" 19	Linwood Aldrich	M	L	2 William S. Martin	Oliver E. Champagne	Shoemaker	Burlington, Vt.	Albanburgh, N. Y.	24	21
" 21	Kenneth Heaton	M	S	2 Earl J. Russell	Emma L. Byron	House painter	Roxbury	Keene	20	18
" 22	Francis Milton	M	L	3 Chas. A. Robinson	Nettie B. Curtis	Provision dealer	Swanzy	Richmond	41	33
" 22	John Thomas	M	L	7 Henry Loiselle	Gertrude K. Dorr	Bookkeeper	Keene	Somerville, Ms.	32	30
" 26	Charles Gilman	M	L	1 Henry A. Hamelin	Anna B. Marriou	Shoemaker	Harrisville	Fitzwilliam	35	29
" 26	Charles Gilman	M	L	2 Thos. R. Pickett	Flossie Demin	Clerk	Altona, N. Y.	Natonic, N. Y.	30	20
" 28	Charles Gilman	M	S	1 Charles M. Raymond	Josephine F. Ahern	Teamster	Ely, Vt.	Keene	29	39
" 28	Charles Gilman	M	S	2 Charles A. Miller	Nellie Sullivan	Machinist	Worcester, Ms.	Northboro, Ms.	26	19
" 28	Charles Gilman	M	S	2 Charles A. Miller	Mamie Blanchard	Laborer	Keene	Walpole	23	21



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		Male or Female.	Living or Stillborn.							
Oct. 31	Harry Jos.	M	L	George Loranger	Delvina Lemire	Laborer	Ellenburg, N. Y.	Ellenburg, N. Y.	39	33
" 27	Sam	M	L	Harry Levine	Sarah Balcovitz	Shoe repairer	Russia	Russia	36	32
Nov. 2	Ruth	F	L	Harry W. Greenleaf	Winnifred P. Ellis	Pat maker	Orange, Mass.	Keene	22	20
" 3	Donald George	M	L	Clarence D. Collins	Nellie M. Traxler	Salesman	Springfield	Harrisville	34	26
" 3	Marie Rose Alma	F	L	Joseph Labonville	Marie L. Beaumier	Loom fixer	Ascoda, Mich.	Canada	27	25
" 4		F	S	John P. Desmond	Margaret E. Brennen	Stable keeper	Waddington N. Y.	Waddington N. Y.	34	34
" 12	Wesley Joseph	M	S	Mitchell J. Patterson	Anny Bergeron	Pat turner	Marlboro	Canada	26	24
" 17	Hester Allen	F	L	Joseph A. Lincoln	Mabel R. Welch	Salesman	Hingham, Mass.	Hingham, Mass.	42	41
" 21	Joseph Oscord D.	M	L	Dona La Mothe	Marguerite Everette	Laborer	Canada	Canada	29	28
" 25	Alfred Demis	M	L	Joseph A. Lamoureux	Florence M. Pelletier	Laborer	Canada	Marlboro	22	18
" 25	Dorothy Kneeland	F	L	Charles W. Clark	Abbie T. Taft	Carpenter	Chesterfield	Swanzy	43	43

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Date of Mar- riage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age in years.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	* Condition.	Name, Residence and Official Sta- tion of person by whom mar- ried.
1905. Dec. 2	Keene	Edward C. Hartnett	Keene	19	Brakeman	Keene	Edw. J. Hartnett Johanna Conelley	Keene Ireland	1st	Rev. D. A. Ryan Keene
" 9	"	Martiele F. Butler	"	19		"	Louis A. Butler Louise A. Banyea	Canada Highgate, Vt.	1st	
" 9	"	Carl A. Lunt	Orange, Mass.	22	Clerk	Orange, Mass.	Nicholas L. Lunt Gray, Me.	Portland, Me.	1st	Rev. A. W. Bailey Keene
" 9	"	Syria Fedora Jackson	Athol, Mass.	19		Athol, Mass.	Alice D. Cross Edward J. Jacks'n	England	1st	
" 20	"	Guy C. Guillow	Keene	21	Farmer	Keene	Sarah E. Dodd Fred E. Guillow	Gilsum Westmoreland	1st	Rev. T. E. Cramer Keene
" 20	"	Grace E. Flagg	"	19		"	Abbie Hall Albert E. Flagg	Worcester, Ms.	1st	
" 21	"	Caleb N. Wright	"	25	Horse trainer	"	Anna Gunn Charles H. Wright	Keene Woodstock, Vt.	1st	Rev. W. A. Hadley Keene
" 21	"	Florence I. Burgum	"	22		"	John Burgum Concord	Winchendon Ms	1st	
" 21	"	Carl E. Wood	"	21	Chair maker	"	Fred Noah Wood Ida L. Towne	Charlestown Marlboro	1st	Rev. J. Walther Keene
" 23	"	Mary E. Whitcomb	Swanzy	19		Swanzy	Henry Whitcomb Mabel E. Abbott	Swanzy	1st	
" 25	Swanzy	Norris E. Prior	Keene	26	Laundryman	Shrewsbury, Vt.	John E. Prior Emeline Flanders	Plymouth, Vt. Vermont	1st	Rev. J. Walther Keene
" 25	Swanzy	Jennie M. Iram	"	24	Nurse	Brazil Lake, N. S	Henry C. Iram Marion Cann	England Brazil Lake, N S	1st	
" 26	Keene	Perley F. Safford	"	21	Com'l travel-	Keene	Leavitt W. Safford Harriet E. Hinds	Chesterfield	1st	Rev. A. H. Wheel- Keene
" 26	Keene	Annie E. Meade	Swanzy	19		Swanzy	Benj. F. Meade Abbie J. Bemis	Marlow Marlboro	1st	
" 26	Keene	William B. Burnell	Keene	19	Chair maker	Walpole	Nelson Burnell Nellie Livingston	Charlestown Walpole	1st	Rev. J. Walther Keene
" 26	Keene	Dora E. Browe	Alstead	21		Windsor, Vt.	David E. Browe Katherine M'Guire	Brandon, Vt. Chicopee Fs. Ms	1st	

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Dec. 31	Keene	Leonard Dewyca	Portsmouth	21	Shoemaker	No. Hero, Vt.	John Dewyca	No. Hero, Vt.	1st	Rev. D. A. Ryan
1906.		Ella P. Reyor	Keene	21		Dannemora, N.Y.	Julia Bushy	Dannemora, N.Y.	1st	Keene
Jan. 3	"	Walter E. Graves	"	38	Motorman	Walpole	Edward Reyor Adeline St. Louis	Walpole	2d	Rev. J. Walther
" 10	"	Birdie C. Davis	"	24		Fitzwilliam	Eli W. Graves Edna A. Hall	Walpole	1st	Keene
" 16	"	John E. Fitzgerald	"	30	Storekeeper	Keene	Henry A. Davis Annie M. Bowker	Marlboro	1st	Rev. D. A. Ryan
" 16	"	Nora Cusick	"	23		Ireland	Patrick Fitzgerald Ann Loden	Ireland	1st	Keene
" 29	Marlboro	Joseph A. Lamoureux	Keene	28		Keene	Michael Cusick Susan Qualey	"	1st	Keene
" 27	Keene	Burton E. Brown	Keene	22	Chair maker	Nova Scotia	Albert E. Belden Ada J. Lawrence	Keene	1st	Rev. A. W. Bailey
" 31	"	Eva M. Vose	"	24	Hotel clerk	Cambridge, Ms.	William H. Morse Rebecca Donald	Keene	1st	Keene
Feb. 1	"	Florence M. Keeler	Anamosa, Ia.	21	Letter carrier	Keene	William H. Morse Rebecca Donald	Keene	1st	Rev. H. J. Belle-
		Martin O. Quinn	Keene	25	Manicurist	Worcester, Ms.	A. Lamoureux Marguerite Rodier	Keene	1st	Marlboro
		Eva R. Sampson	"	30		Keene	Peter C. Pelletier Julia Duhamel	Keene	1st	Rev. T. E. Cramer
						Keene	Emma Millbury George H. Vose	Keene	1st	Keene
						Keene	Ida M. Cutler Chas. Whitcomb	Keene	1st	Rev. A. H. Wheel-
						Keene	Nellie L. Ames Henry F. Keeler	Keene	1st	Keene
						Keene	Ella B. Boosman Samuel S. Quinn	Keene	1st	Rev. J. L. Seward
						Keene	Sarah Richards'n Alfred D. Sampson	Keene	1st	Keene
						Keene	Lottie C. Arnold Rumford, Me.	Keene	2d	Keene

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Feb. 19	Keene	George A. Punt	Keene	20	Sash maker	Walpole	Arthur E. Punt	Walpole	1st	Rev. A. H. Wheeler
"	"	Margaret Driscoll	"	19		Keene	Ada M. Phelps	Westminster Vt	1st	Keene
" 21	"	Walter C. Young	Ithaca, N. Y.	45	Salesman	Ithaca, N. Y.	Margaret Sweeney	"	1st	L. W. Holmes J. P.
"	"	Mabel Stone	Faneuil, Ms.	24		Faneuil, Mass.	George E. Young	London, Eng.	2d	Keene
" 21	"	Phenner Vail	Orwell, Vt.	45	Farmer	Albany, N. Y.	Henry Huke	Nova Scotia	2d	
"	"	Lizzie D. Mack	Brandon, Vt.	36		Salisbury, Vt.	Mary Campbell	New York State	2d	Rev. A. W. Bailey
" 21	"	Robert W. Ringland	Keene	21	Shoe cutter	Chicopee, Mass.	Phenner P. Vail	Sudbury, Vt.	2d	Keene
Mar. 1	"	Bertha M. Greene	"	20		Leominster, Ms.	John Dyer	W. Salisbury, Vt.	2d	
"	"	Perry Albert Nash	"	27	Electrician	Walpole	Sarah E. Curtis	Ireland	1st	Rev. A. W. Bailey
" 17	"	Hattie E. Avery	"	19		Swansey	Hans S. Ringland	Lyden, Mass.	1st	Keene
"	"	Carl B. Hastings	"	22	Pail maker	Gardner, Mass.	Elizabeth Blakely	W. Chesterfield	1st	
" 20	"	Bertha M. Howard	Marlboro [Vt.	20		Marlboro	Edward S. Green	Gilsun	1st	Rev. A. H. Wheeler
"	"	Edwin W. Morse	Williamsville,	38	Farmer	Williamsville Vt	Lillian B. Covey	Dighton, Mass.	1st	Keene
" 21	"	Jennie A. Herrick	Keene	32		Swansey	Andrew Nash	Granville, N. Y.	1st	
"	"	Moses Maynard	"	57	Sawyer	Winchendon Ms	Susan E. Waldron	Roxbury	1st	Rev. A. W. Bailey
"	"	Martha Maria Lewis	"	59		Lewis, N. Y.	Edward D. Avery	Wakefield, Ms.	1st	Keene
							Margaret Labiff	Gilsun	1st	
							Fred E. Hastings	Rutland, Vt.	1st	
							Hattie L. Sawyer	Williamsville Vt	2d	Rev. J. Walther
							Walter I. Howard	Newfane, Vt.	1st	Keene
							Mary A. Mullen	Chesterfield	1st	
							Charles W. Morse	Keene	2d	
							Jeanette Brown	Phillipston, Ms.	2d	Rev. H. S. Mitchell
							Sarah E. Reed	Marlboro, Vt.	2d	Keene
							Seth Maynard	Langdon	2d	
							Mary Nickerson	Providence, R. I.	2d	
							Thomas Fish			
							Lovina Ballou			

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Mar 22	Keene	Alfred S. Henderson	Keene	28	Chair maker	Philadelphia Pa	David Henderson	Belle I. Creech	1st	F.H.W. Whitcomb
		Emma McDonald	"	21		Ellensburg, N. Y.	Elizabeth Boyd	Gagetown, N. B.	1st	Keene
Apr. 6	Stoneham Ms	Arthur F. Applin	"	39	Box maker	Swanzy	Moses McDonald	Canada	1st	
		Stella J. Cherry	Stoneham Ms	27		Stoneham, Ms.	Mary Lamire	New Salem, Ms.	2d	Rev F A Starratt
" 11	Keene	Don J. Williams	Keene	22	Bookkeeper	Keene	Benj. F. Applin	Swanzy	1st	Stoneham, Ms.
		Emma G. Carpenter	"	19		Westmoreland	Harriet H. Osgood	Bellingham, Ms	1st	
" 10	"	Frank A. Carpenter	Long Is. City,	32	Brick layer	Hartland, Vt.	Richards E. Cherry	Keene	1st	Rev. S. D. King-
		Grace A. Lamb	Keene	33		Langdon	Andrew Williams	Dorchester, Ms.	1st	Troy
" 15	"	Fred F. Smith	"	23	Chair maker	Winchendon Ms	Martha J. Cook	Westmoreland	1st	
		Delia M. Rule	"	20		Black Brook, NY	Fred A. Carpenter	Surry	1st	
" 17	"	Patrick A. Ryan	"	22	Loco. fireman	Lowell, Mass.	Hattie J. Hall	Taunton, Ms.	1st	Rev. A. W. Bailey
		Alice Leahey	"	23		Boston, Mass.	Colburn	White R. Junction	1st	Keene
" 19	"	Frank M. Payne	"	30	Chair maker	Chester, Vt.	George Lamb	Langdon	1st	
		Irene E. Pratt	"	23		Montpelier, Vt.	Almira R. Clark	Charlestown	1st	Rev. T. J. Finning.
" 29	Acworth	Joseph Merchant	"	21	Gas fitter	Keene	Wm. H. Smith	Lowell, Mass.	1st	Keene
		Bertha Brown	"	23		Hyde Park, Vt.	Kate Groom	Danemora, NY	1st	
							Louisa	Canada	1st	
							Simon P. Ryan	Ireland	1st	Rev. A. W. Bailey
							Nellie A. Condon	Lowell, Mass.	1st	Keene
							James T. Gemmell	Scotland	2d	
							Margaret Blake	"	1st	Rev. T. E. Cramer
							Martin J. Payne	Reading, Vt.	1st	Keene
							Maria M. Ellis	England	1st	
							William Pratt	Montpelier, Vt.	1st	
							Tellis Merchant	Lowell, Mass.	1st	[wood
							Sophie Cota	Hyde Park, Vt.	1st	Rev. F. B. Rock-
							Wm. Brown	Morrisville, Vt.	1st	Acworth
							Carrie Peters	"	1st	

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May 1	Keene	Roy E. Hutchins	Hartford, Ct.	17	Salesman	Holyoke, Ms.	George Hutchins	Franklin Co NY	1st	Rev. John Evers Keene
"	"	Olive Boynton	"	17		Hartford, Ct.	Julia Hinman	"	1st	
"	"	Gordon Southworth	Cavendish, Vt	31	Farmer	Benson, Vt.	Edw. B. Boynton	Hartford, Conn	1st	Rev. J. Walther Keene
"	"	Mabel L. Kierstead	Ludlow, Vt.	30		Ludlow, Vt.	H.M. Southworth	Dorset, Vt.	2d	
"	"	Alfred LeClair	Benning'tn Vt	38	Wood chopp'r	Brandon, Vt.	Emily Taylor	Wylusing, Pa.	2d	Rev H.S. Mitchell Keene
"	"	Oliven Rochon	Fitchburg Ms	23		Canada	Stephen LeClair	Canada	1st	
"	"	William J. Deselle	Keene	27	Press oper'r	St. Albans, Vt.	Mary Blanchard	"	1st	Rev. J. Walther Keene
"	"	Annie Emmonds	"	17		Canada	Joseph Rochon	Canada	1st	
"	"	Eddie Bouchie	"	20	Box maker	Winchester	Odelle Rianto	Vermont state	1st	Rev. T.J. Finning Keene
"	"	Nancy Yettaw	"	18		Bradley Pond	Louis Deselle	Cherrybusco	1st	
"	"	Morris G. Stone	"	24	Clerk	Grand R. Mich [P. E. I.]	Amede Bouchie	Waddingt'n NY	1st	Rev. A. W. Bailey Keene
"	"	Caroline F. Gorges	"	25		Charlottetown,	Victoria Sevenie	Pr. Edward Is.	1st	
June 4	"	Lorenzo B. Fortin	Greenfield, Ms	24	Fireman	Turners Fs. Ms.	David Yettaw	Canada	1st	Rev. A. J. Torsleff Winchester
"	"	Florence A. Clark	Keene	26		Keene	Clara Barcomb	East Jaffrey	1st	
"	"	Gordon F. White	"	22	Farmer	Marlboro	Louis A. Stone	Keene	1st	Rev. T. E. Cramer Keene
"	"	Viva M. Dickinson	"	21		Keene	Mary A Morrison	Marlboro	1st	
							Edward Gorges	Gilsum		
							Annie M. Chilton	Keene		
							Dennis Fortin	Swanzy		
							Emily Paul			
							Chas. H. Clark			
							Mary O. Hamblet			
							Irving A. White			
							Sarah E. Temple			
							Henry Dickinson			
							Loretta E. Curtis			

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June 11	Keene	Kenneth McCondach	Keene	21	Cook	Barre, Vt.	K. McCondach Nellie Thompson	Aberdeen Scot.	1st	Rev. W. A. Hadley Keene
" 12	"	Josie Stratton	"	25		Franklin, Vt.	Joseph Stratton Marcia Clement	Canada Vermont	1st	
" 12	"	Donald C. Cameron	"	31	Photographer	Marlboro	Donald Cameron Hermine Dumont	Canada Marlow	1st	Rev. J. Walther Keene
" 12	"	Kate G. Tinker	"	21		Alstead	Oscar F. Tinker Nellie F. Goodhue	Canada Canada	1st	
" 14	"	Arthur Hebert	"	20	Op. Beaver M	Canada	Felix Hebert Caroline Beliveau	Canada "	1st	Rev. T. J. Finning Keene
" 14	"	Regina Hebert	"	22		"	Alcide Hebert Armeline Heit	" "	1st	
" 14	"	James H. Shaw	Deerfield, Ms.	30	Electrician	Ansonia, Conn.	George W. Shaw Carol'e Slocombe	Hadley, Mass. England	1st	Rev. D. A. Ryan Keene
" 20	"	Katherine Donovan	Keene	29		Keene	Dennis Donovan Mary Neenan	Ireland "	1st	
" 20	"	Charles Cook	"	20	Chair maker	No. Walpole	Wm. Cook Nettie Chase	Westmoreland Syracuse, Vt.	1st	Rev. J. Walther Keene
" 20	"	Ida May Baker	"	20		Salisbury, Vt.	Edward Baker Margaret Capman	Salisbury, Vt. Havelock, Ca.	1st	
" 20	"	Harry C. Day	Rockingham, [Vt.]	27	Brakeman	Bellows Fs., Vt.	Osmond A. Day Nettie S. Cram	Bartonville, Vt. Chester, Vt.	1st	Rev. T. J. Finning Keene
" 22	"	Josephine A. Ryan	Keene	27		Keene	John Ryan Mary E. Coke	Ireland "	1st	
" 22	"	Louis Charboneau	"	26	Emp. R.R. shop	Burlington, Vt.	Elie Charboneau G. Belleisle	Canada "	1st	Rev. J. Walther Keene
" 24	"	Alice E. Jolly	"	22		Keene	Lewis O. Jolly Ella F. Morey	Mason Oxford, Me.	1st	
" 24	"	Fred J. Patnode	"	30	Prov. dealer	Dannemora, N.Y.	Oliver Patnode Julia Reill	Dannemora, N.Y. "	1st	Rev. T. J. Finning Keene
		Olivine Champagne	"	23		Bellows Fs., Vt.	Olivier Champagne Olivine Derosier	Canada "	1st	

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June 26	Keene	Edward Maguire	Keene	40	Cigar maker	Kingston, Ms.	Wm. Maguire Ellen Shea	England	2d	Rev. T. J. Finning Keene
" 26	"	Susan T. C. Muzzy	Worcester	42		Chatham, N. B.	George Cook M. Raymond	Ireland	2d	
" 28	"	James A. O'Neil	Keene	26	Stave sawyer	Keene	John O'Neil Caroline Hubbard	Ireland	1st	Rev. T. J. Finning Keene
" 28	"	Mary E. Foley	"	27		"	James Foley Ellen O'Marra	Ireland	1st	
" 28	"	Wm. H. Jordan	"	29	Boiler maker	Ireland	Thomas Jordan Susan Haggerty	"	1st	Rev. T. J. Finning Keene
" 27	"	Mary O'Connor	"	37		Keene	John O'Connor Mary Doyle	"	1st	
" 27	"	John A. Bell	Reading, Ms.	21	Pipe maker	Nova Scotia	Alexander T. Bell Ann Goodwin	Nova Scotia	1st	Rev. W. A. Hadley Keene
" 27	"	Alice Maria Eaton	"	20		Reading, Mass.	Charles E. Eaton Ethelrida Gates	N. Reading, Ms.	1st	
July 2	Winchester	Cleon L. Swan	Keene	19	Clerk	Keene	Henry E. Swan Cora E. Ellis	Port George, NS	1st	Rev. A. J. Torsleff Winchester
" 4	Keene	Myrtie E. Pierce	Winchester	18		Chesterfield	William Pierce Ella Hunt	Keene	1st	
" 4	Keene	John W. Wood	Ludlow, Vt.	43	Engineer	Quebec, Ca.	Morris Wood Mary Buchard	France	2d	Rev. J. Walther Keene
" 9	"	Evelyn V. Olsson	"	26		Ludlow, Vt.	Henry Harris Ella Joyal	Canada	2d	
" 9	"	Walter C. Ellis	Keene	30	Postal clerk	Keene	Mary E. Russell Chas. H. Ellis	Ludlow, Vt	2d	
" 21	"	Bessie G. Findon	"	28		Susqueha'na Pa	Geo. E. Findon Alice Shipley	Paterson, N. J.	1st	Rev D. L. Sanford Conn.
" 21	"	Fred A. Locke	"	26	Painter	N. Charlestown	Fred H. Locke Flora McKennon	Jersey City, N. J.	1st	Bellevue Falls Vt.
" 21	"	Cora I. Roper	Worcester	21		N. Brookfield Ms	Albert D. Roper Mary J. Dyer	Reading, Vt.	2d	Rev. T. E. Cramer Keene

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July 25	Nashua	Harry P. Phillips	Keene	24	N'spaper man	Nashua	John W. Phillips	Newport, Vt.	1st	Rev. H. C. Speed
		Bertha M. Holmes	Nashua	22		Parishville, N. Y.	Ella E. Wright	Nashua	1st	Nashua
" 24	Keene	Burton M. Russell	Keene	23	Machinist	Keene	Abbie Merrill	Parishville, N. Y.	1st	
		Mary E. Pike	"	25		Hampton, N. B.	Geo. W. Russell	Vermont	1st	Rev. T. E. Cramer
" 28	"	William H. Rollins	"	19	Painter	Lynn, Mass.	Emma M. Clark	Walpole	1st	Keene
		Rosanna M. Durant	"	17		Keene	Wm. H. Pike	Boston, Mass.	1st	
Aug. 4	"	Philippe Boisvert	"	25	B. & M. shop	Canada	Mary J. Lindsay	Boston, Mass.	1st	Rev. T. J. Finning
		Corona Dubois	"	25		"	Joseph F. Robbins	Vermont	1st	Keene
" 8	Bellows Fs Vt	Edward C. Marden	"	31	Expressman	Keene	Agnes Thomson	Scotland	1st	
		Gussie I. Shea	"	26		"	Joseph Durant	Canada	1st	
" 27	Keene	Edward Arsenault	"	23	Blacksmith	Canada	Melv'a L'Bounty	"	1st	Rev. T. J. Finning
		Mary Racine	"	22		"	Octave Boisvert	"	1st	Keene
" 27	"	Herbert N. Kirk	"	28	Grocer	Keene	P. Poisson	"	1st	
		Florence L. Ellis	"	27		"	Louis Dubois	"	1st	
" 29	"	Charles W. Farrand	Cambridge Ms	59	Laborer	So. New Market	E. Parenteau	Lancaster	1st	Rev. C. W. Jackson
		Sarah J. Wilson	Keene	64		Springfield, Ms.	Eva L. Clark	Keene	2d	Bellows Fs. Vt.
							John A. Marden	Lancaster	1st	
							Martha J. Towne	Keene	1st	Rev. T. J. Finning
							Chas. Arsenault	Canada	1st	Keene
							Alvina Vigneau	"	1st	
							Delphine Landry	"	1st	
							Reuben S. Kirk	Springfield, Vt.	1st	Rev. T. E. Cramer
							Mary C. Long	Swanzy	1st	Keene
							Chas. H. Ellis	Keene	1st	
							Mary B. Russell	"	1st	
							Edw. Farrand	Portsmouth	1st	Rev. John Evers
							Emma Wilson	Keene	1st	Keene
							John Wilson	Springfield, Ms.	2d	
							Ethel Keith	"	2d	

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Aug. 30	Keene	Thomas J. Ryan	Keene	29	Boiler maker	Ireland	Patrick Ryan Johanna Meyrick	Ireland	1st	Rev. T. J. Finning Keene
		Margaret M. Igoo	"	29		"	Peter Igoo	"	1st	
July 5	Berwick, N. B.	Frank A. Wright	"	30	Manufacturer	Keene	John A. Wright Sarah Lawrence	Brookline Keene	1st	Rev. T. Pierce St. John, N. B.
		Maud M. Fenwick	Millstre'mNB	36	Nurse	Millstream, N. B.	James A. Fenwick Frances A. Good	Millstream, N. B.	1st	
Aug. 1	Cismont, Va.	Edward H. Joslin	Keene	31	At home	Keene	Charles E. Joslin	Keene	1st	Rev. E. V. Jones Cismont, Va.
		Carolyn R. Randolph	Keswick, Va.	19		Keswick, Va.	Julia Manning Frank Randolph	Mt. Vernon Shadwell, Va.	1st	
" 14	Windsor, Vt.	Wells R. Sargent	Keene	23	Bookkeeper	Brattleboro, Vt.	Charlotte Macon Frank A. Sargent	Cismont, Va.	1st	
		Martha C. Ryan	Woodsville	21		W. Braintree, Vt.	Marg't Rob't's'n Stewart H. Ryan	Dummerston Vt.	1st	Rev. F. T. Clark Windsor, Vt.
Sept. 5	Keene	Warren E. Lawrence	Keene	22	Machinist	Winchester	Jennie M. Spear Chas P. Lawrence	Browningt'n Vt	1st	
		Eva B. Bridge	"	21		Roxbury	Martha L. Bourne Horace H. Bridge	Roxbury, Ms.	1st	Rev. T. E. Cramer Keene
" 9	Fitchburg Ms	Timothy J. Coffey	"	31	Grocery clerk	Keene	Angie C. Dunn James Coffey	Dublin Ireland	1st	
		Delia V. Brown	"	30		Holyoke, Ms.	Ellen Kennedy Oliver Bernard	"	1st	W. A. Davis, J. P. Fitchburg, Ms.
" 12	Keene	Richard N. Maxwell	Danvers, Ms.	23	Gardener	Marnot, N. D.	Serfene Gauquin James Maxwell	Canada	2d	
		Alice N. Aldrich	Keene	22	Bookkeeper	Hinsdale	Jennie Newton Edwin V. Aldrich	Pennsylvania Northboro, Ms.	1st	Rev. T. E. Cramer Keene
" 17	"	William E. Lamb	Winchendon, [Ms.]	31	Teacher	Winchendon Ms	Nellie Dickerman Amos S. Lamb	Keene	1st	
		Mary E. Bullard	Keene	24		Swanzy	Dolly R. Brown Ervin M. Bullard	Stockbridge, Vt Phillipston, Ms.	1st	Rev. J. Walther Keene
							Mary L. Stowell	Swanzy	1st	

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Sept 18	Keene	Scott E. Williams	Gardner, Ms.	24	Bookkeeper	Bennington	Granv'e Williams	Bennington	1st	Rev W.A.Hadley Keene
" 18	"	Blanche I. Savage	Keene	19		Keene	Mary Flemming	Greenfield	1st	
" 19	"	Harold S. Bishop	BellowsFs,Vt	23	Clerk	Williamsville Vt	Albert W. Savage	Reedshoro, Vt.	1st	Rev W.A.Hadley Keene
" 19	"	Ethel M. Savage	Keene	22		Keene	Stephen Bishop	Stamford, Vt.	1st	
Oct. 3	"	Edward M. Jones	"	32	Coachman	"	Lizzie M. Cook	Greenfield	1st	
" 3	"	Harriette E. Martin	"	26		Barke, Vt	Albert W. Savage	Keene	1st	Rev.T.E.Cramer Keene
" 3	"	Edward G. Carroll	"	23	Plumber	Gilsum	George S. Jones	Walpole	1st	
" 3	"	Alma M. Knight	"	24		Swanzey	Clara Hall	Burke, Vt.	1st	Rev.A.W.Bailey Keene
" 3	"	Charles A. Wyman	"	28	Farmer	Keene	George Martin	Keene	1st	
" 3	"	Edith L. Jewett	"	23		Nelson	Roa J. Smith	Newark, Vt.	1st	
" 4	"	Leon I. Curtis	Surry	18	Farmer	Keene	John H. Carroll	Keene	1st	Rev W.A.Hadley Keene
" 4	"	Grace L. Guillow	New York,NY	19	Clerk	Keene	Laura Gates	Gilsum	1st	
" 4	"	Frederick Nubling	"	16	Milliner	Minersville, Pa.	Frank Knight	Swanzey	1st	Rev.A.W.Bailey Keene
" 8	"	Henrietta Foley	Keene	25	Sawyer	Keene	Lizzie Britton	Jacksonville, Vt	1st	
" 8	"	Winfred H. Ward	Swanzey	17		Keene	George S. Wyman	Gilsum	1st	[J. P. Keene
" 8	"	Elmira Barcome	Swanzey	17		Keene	Mary Matthews	Westmoreland	1st	F. H. Whitcomb Keene
" 8	"	Winfred H. Ward	Keene	25	Sawyer	Keene	Frank K. Jewett	Germany	1st	
" 8	"	Elmira Barcome	Swanzey	17		Keene	Mary L. Stacy	Wiconisco, Pa.	1st	
" 8	"	Elmira Barcome	Swanzey	17		Keene	Irvin Curtis	Fitzwilliam	1st	Rev.T.J.Finney Keene
" 8	"	Elmira Barcome	Swanzey	17		Keene	Edw. J. Guillow	Richmond	1st	
" 8	"	Elmira Barcome	Swanzey	17		Keene	Phoebe Wilber	CheribuscoNY	1st	
" 8	"	Elmira Barcome	Swanzey	17		Keene	Frederick Nubling	Ellenburg, N.Y.	1st	
" 8	"	Elmira Barcome	Swanzey	17		Keene	Marie Grielich		1st	
" 8	"	Elmira Barcome	Swanzey	17		Keene	Michael Foley		1st	
" 8	"	Elmira Barcome	Swanzey	17		Keene	Albert G. Ward		1st	
" 8	"	Elmira Barcome	Swanzey	17		Keene	Emma A. Swan		1st	
" 8	"	Elmira Barcome	Swanzey	17		Keene	Nelson Barcome		1st	
" 8	"	Elmira Barcome	Swanzey	17		Keene	Almina Pregent		1st	

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Oct. 4	Keene	Edgar M. Cook	Springfield Vt	48	Machinist	Waterbury, Vt.	Marvin J. Cook Ann R. Lockwood	Granville, N. Y. Springfield, Vt.	2d	Rev W.A. Hadley Keene
"	"	Nellie M. Foster	Keene	35		Keene	Alvin R. Foster Mary J. Sargent	Hopkinton Hopkinton	1st	
" 16	Marlboro	Thomas W. Smith	"	43	Sawyer	Waterloo, L. Ca.	Dennis W. Smith Elizabeth Dickson	Vermont Fitzwilliam	2d	Rev. D. Wallace Marlboro
"	"	Ida Gladys Hamlin	"	33		Fitzwilliam	Geo. W. Hamlin Mary J. Brown	Westford, Ms. Portland, Me.	1st	
" 17	Keene	James Hodnett	"	36	Boiler maker	Ireland	John Hodnett Bridget Sullivan	Ireland	1st	Rev. T.J. Finning Keene
" 24	"	Margaret Horrigan	"	32		"	Barth Horrigan Ellen Twobig	"	1st	
"	"	Fred Horace Robbins	"	28	Watch adj'r	Boston, Mass.	Horace Robbins Abbie B. Moulton	Peterboro Tunbridge, Vt.	1st	Rev. J. S. Littell Keene
"	"	Agnes Helen Ray	"	23		Concord	Robert A. Ray Hattie A. Ballou	Palmer, Ms. Concord	1st	
" 24	Hartford, Ct.	John F. Trimble	Hartford, Ct.	27	Machinist	Hartford, Ct.	Alex B. Trimble Cath. Blair	"	1st	Rev. J. E. Zeiter Hartford, Ct.
"	"	Elizabeth D. Carroll	Keene	21	Stenographer	Keene	John H. Carroll Laura M. Gates	"	1st	
" 30	Worcester Ms	James C. Strong	"	42	Lo. engineer	Brattleboro, Vt.	Calvin D. Strong Ann A. Holbrook	Plainfield Ashburnham, Ms	1st	Rev. B.S. Conaty Worcester, Ms.
"	"	Alice V. Jackson	Worcester Ms	30	School teach'r	Worcester, Ms.	Jas. H. Jackson Ellen T. Scannell	Portland, Me. Worcester, Ms.	1st	
" 30	S. Lyndebo	Fred L. Gauthier	Keene	26	Chair finisher	Nelson	Alfred Gauthier Victo'a Be'ureg'd E. Sullivan	Canada Lyndebo	1st	Rev. D. Donovan Lyndebo
"	"	Elma L. Holt	S. Lyndebo	28		S. Lyndebo	Emery Holt Ella T. Russell	"	1st	

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Nov. 1	Keene	Elisha C. Shipman	Pottsdam NY	45	Farmer	Elizabethtown	Silas H. Shipman	Canada	2d	Rev. T. E. Cramer Keene
"	3 Fitchburg	Isabel Roberts	Springfield Vt	41		Charlestown	Asa W. Harriman	Warren	2d	
"	12 Keene	Thomas H. Bailey	Keene	41	Shoe Mfr.	Springfield, Ms.	Eliza J. Bowen	Charlestown	2d	Rev. A. W. Litch-Fitchburg, Ms
"	20	Susan A. Younglove	Fitchburg Ms	32		Fitchburg, Ms.	Henry B. Bailey	Hartford, Ct.	1st	
"	23 Concord	James F. Dinagan	Keene	23	Barber	Keene	Mary E. Curtis	Fitchburg, Ms.	1st	
"	27 Keene	Bertha Janson	"	18		St. Albans, Vt.	Geo. T. Younglove	Colerain, Ms.	1st	Rev. T. J. Finning Keene
"	28	Stephen C. Fooks	Rutland, Vt.	25	Farmer	London	John W. Dinagan	Brooklyn, N. Y.	1st	
"	29 Keene	Emily M. Town	Saratoga, NY	31		Saratoga, N. Y.	Mary J. Tole	Ludlow, Vt.	1st	
"	30 Keene	Fred C. Porter	Keene	25	Lumberman	Charlestown	Charles F. Janson	Sweden	1st	
"	31 Keene	Gertrude Perham	"	24		Hinsdale	Anna M. Fasth	"	1st	Rev. T. E. Cramer Keene
"	32 Keene	Frank C. Bishop	"	38	Motorman	Westminster Ms	Wm. C. Fooks	England	1st	
"	33 Keene	Lillian B. Greene	"	41		Chesterfield	C'ther'e Stephens	New York State	1st	
"	34 Keene	William R. Johnson	"	39	Baker	WStockbri'e Ms	Emily Hall	Cady Hill, N. Y.	1st	Rev. W. Ramsden Concord
"	35 Keene	Mary A. Shechan	"	48		Brattleboro	Julius H. Porter	White R. J., Vt.	1st	
"	36 Keene	John J. Moynihan	Brattleb'o, Vt	41	Grain dealer	England	Emma Keynolds	Hinsdale	1st	Rev. A. W. Bailey Keene
"	37 Keene	Elizabeth J. Enwright	"	31		England	Dustin L. Perham	Westminster Ms	2d	
"	38 Keene	John J. Moynihan	"	41		England	Maria Knapp	Brattleboro Vt.	2d	
"	39 Keene	John J. Moynihan	"	41		England	Adelaide A. Seaver	"	2d	Rev. T. J. Finning Keene
"	40 Keene	John J. Moynihan	"	41		England	Hattie Stowe	"	2d	
"	41 Keene	John J. Moynihan	"	41		England	Robert J. Johnson	Ireland	2d	Rev. T. J. Finning Keene
"	42 Keene	John J. Moynihan	"	41		England	Mary McConicy	"	2d	
"	43 Keene	John J. Moynihan	"	41		England	Matthew Sheeh'n	"	2d	
"	44 Keene	John J. Moynihan	"	41		England	M. O'Connor	"	2d	
"	45 Keene	John J. Moynihan	"	41		England	Tim. Moynihan	"	2d	
"	46 Keene	John J. Moynihan	"	41		England	Margaret Conn'r	"	2d	
"	47 Keene	John J. Moynihan	"	41		England	John Enwright	"	2d	
"	48 Keene	John J. Moynihan	"	41		England	Ellen Kelley	"	2d	

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Nov. 28	Keene	John R. Templeton Jennie L. Parker	Springfield Keene	19 19	Salesman	Antrim Boston, Ms.	L. A. Templeton Catherine C. Shey Wm. F. Parker	New York State Bennington	1st	Rev W. A. Hadley Keene
" 28	"	Neil D. Clawson Bertha F. Hamilton	Newark, N. J. Keene	26 23	Teacher	Clyde, Minn. Chesterfield	Lizzie J. Copp Thos. B. Clawson Hephzibah Hoag Fred M. Hamilton Addie M. Farwell	Nottingham Chatfield, Minn Harmony Minn Chesterfield Le Sueur, Minn.	1st 1st 1st	Rev. F. J. Bartlett Chesterfield

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		Years.	Months.	Days.		Male or Female.	*.	Father.	Mother.		
1905.											
Nov. 29	J. J. O'Connor	45				F	M	Canada	Canada	— Rivers	Emily M. Clark
1904.								Winchester	Walpole	George W. Russell	Helen M. Cooke
Mar 20	Mrs. L. A. Potter	62				F	M	Andover, Vt.	Boston, Mass.	Fred J. Field	Margaret Leahy
1905.								Cork, Ire.		Cornelius Dwyer	Julia Harrington
Dec. 3	Thomas C. Potter	69				F	M	Shaftsbury, Vt.	Danby, Vt.	Roswell T. Wood	Lucinda Sawin
" 6	Elizabeth Carrigan	70				F	M	Westminster, Ms.	Windhall, Vt.	Leonard Hoar	Bessie M. Clark
" 7	Mary Sherman	66				F	M	Berea, W. Va.	Troy	Ferdinand C. Bee	Louisa Jeffs
" 9	Mabel F. Fish	30				F	M	Ireland	Chester, Vt.	Benj. Coombs	Johanna Coffey
" 13	Field	74				F	M		Ireland	Timothy Kennedy	
" 14	Elizabeth O'Neil	46	1			F	M	Marlow	Benson, Vt.	Charles A. Seward	Eliza J. Manley
" 16	Fordyce L. Wood	46	11			M	W	Charlestown	Benson, Vt.	Increase Warren	Thankful Peters
" 19	Harriet M. Phillips	73	9	16		F	W	Westmoreland		David Taylor	Catherine Finn
" 24	Paul C. Bee	11	12			F	S	Ireland	Ireland	John Grogan	Addie Chase
" 24	Maria C. Harvey	56	1	16		F	M	England	Ganesvoort, N. Y.	John A. Morris	Edith G. Spaulding
" 30	Ellen J. Coffey	60	11			F	M	Attleboro, Ms.	Keene	Edw. N. Carpenter	Sarah Allen
1906.								Keene	Surry	Ephraim Wright	Experience Jackson
Jan. 2	Claton W. Seward	26	11	24		M	S	Boscowen	Hartland, Vt.	Carlton Eastman	Cyrene Walker
" 3	Sumner Warren	90	8	20		M	W	Ireland	"	Patrick O'Connor	Mary Dauchey
" 3	Thankful Howard	86	14			F	W	Ireland			
" 7	Margaret L. Grogan	37	4	7		F	S	Keene			
" 9	Isabel Morris	1	10	26		F	S	Keene			
" 9	Albert N. Carpenter	86	9	16		M	S	Keene			
" 12	Henry R. Wright	85	9	16		M	S	Keene			
" 15	Mary R. Hall	85	9	16		F	W	Keene			
" 17	Abel W. Eastman	77	9	26		M	W	Keene			
" 17	Mary O'Connor	80				F	S	Keene			
" 20	Patrick Cushing	69				M	M	Keene			
" 20	Richard C. Keyes	46				M	M	Keene			
" 23	Mary Champaigne	83				F	M	Keene			
" 23	Mary Lanigan	23				F	F	Keene			

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		Years.	Months.		Days.	S., M., W., *.	Male or Female.	Father.			Mother.
Jan. 23	Oscar W. Spaulding	83	2	16	Proctorsville, Vt.	M	Jaffrey		Wm. Spaulding	Annie Greenwood	
" 24	James G. Hall	73	7	22	Surry	S			Henry Hall	Fanny Estey	
" 25	Alba C. Davis	84	5	25	Roxbury	M	Swanzy	Troy	Isaac Davis	Nancy Fuller	
" 25	Charles Sherman	70	6	22	Keene	M	Germany	Germany	Andrew Sherman		
" 26	Annie C. Pressler	90			Germany	F			— Fisher		
" 26	Alice S. Whelan	64				F					
" 27	Margaret F Cahalane	31	9	19	Pioche, Nevada	F	Ireland	Ireland	Patrick B. O'Neil	Eliza Dwyer	
" 29	James Keirce	66	10	20	Ireland	M	"	"	John Keirce	Mary Cusick	
Feb. 1	Harry Sheldon	74	7	13	Swanzy	M	Chesterfield	Fitzwilliam	Henry Sheldon	Lovina Stone	
" 6	Sarah H. Ellis	77	1	11	Keene	F	Keene	Keene	Edward Holman	Sally Dwinell	
" 7	Hannah A. Quilty	64	10		Surry	F	Surry	Hancock	Samuel Ellis	Eleanor Abbott	
" 10	Mary Doherty	28	5		Keene	F			Asahel Stone		
" 13	Robert C. Nims	15	10	15	Keene	S	Keene	Keene	Louis A. Nims	Martha A. Cutler	
" 15	Mary A. Ball	83	4	25	Hopkinton, Ms.	F	Hopkinton, Ms.	Pelham, Mass.	Jotham Stearns	Mary Grimes	
" 15	Lena I. Hall	34	4	27	Westmoreland	F	Surry	Westmoreland	James G. Hall	Lodema Pratt	
" 18	— Watkins				Keene	F	Walpole	Scotland	Elmer A. Watkins	Helen Keddie	
" 18	Eleanor M. Prentiss	75	10	12	Evesham, Eng.	F	Bristol, Eng.	London, Eng.	George May	Sarah Knight	
" 21	Bradford H Lockwood	54	3	23	Long Ridge, Ct.	M	Roxbury, Ct.	Rome, N. Y.	Sylvester Lockwood	Henrietta White	
" 21	Martha M. Hayward	77	5	20	Keene	F	Keene	Suffield, Ct.	Chas. G. Adams	Mary A. King	
" 22	Joanna Driscoll	63			Ireland	F	Ireland	Ireland	Timothy Murphy	Ellen Sullivan	
" 22	— Scripture				Keene	F	Keene	Nova Scotia	Chas. W. Scripture	Delia Neaves	
" 23	Alice M. Maloney	1	7	5	"	S	Northampton, Ms	S. Stoddard	Wm. E. Maloney	Annie M. Doyle	
" 23	Lydia C. Nichols	81	1	3	Marlow	F	Antrim	Acworth	James Downing	Lydia Ayers	
" 25	Rhoda A. Green	80	2	10	Stoddard	F	Stoddard	Stoddard	Herman Fisher	Fanny Evans	
" 26	Orlando A. Seward	79	7	3	Sullivan	M	Sullivan	Fitzwilliam	Abijah Seward	Roxanna Fay	
" 26	Electa L. Ward	70	1	12	Mason	F	Mason	Mason	Lewis Hill	Lydia Russell	
" 27	Julia Potwin	81	6	18	Canada	F	Canada	Canada	Nicholas Potwin	Sarah Potwin	
Mar. 3	Mary A. Moulton	40	7	10	Keene	F	Londonderry, Vt.	Springfield, Ms.	Wm. A. Garfield	Sarah Garfield	
" 3	Carl D. Moulton				"	M		Keene	Herbert C. Moulton	Mary A. Garfield	

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		Years.	Months.		Male or Female.	S, M, W.	Father.	Mother.		
Mar 10	Frank S. Cowles	42	10	Belchertown, Ms.	M	M	Keene	Sullivan	Angello Cowles	Martha Sedgewick
" 10	Abijah H. Kingsbury	49	1	Sullivan	M	M	Ireland	Vermont	Henry Kingsbury	Lacretia B. Hastings
" 11	James E. Reason	52	7	Walpole	M	M	Marlow	Marlow	James Reason	Elizabeth Constantine
" 11	Mary B. Lewis	78	8	Marlow	F	M	East Jaffrey	Hartland, Vt.	Curtis Broadland	Patty Giffin
" 15	Curtis H. Morse	32	10	E. Jaffrey	M	M	[date of internment		Hartland F. Morse	Theodia A. Davis
" 15	Edward E. Lyman	69	4	Hubbardston, Ms.	M	M	Saulsbury, Vt.	March 20, 1906,		
" 23	Unknown baby	42	7	Brandon, Vt.	S	S	Ireland	Leicester, Vt.	Woodland.]	
" 23	Harry C. Briggs	60	3	Ireland	M	M	Westminster Wt	Ireland	Chas. W. Briggs	Elizabeth Hunt
" 24	Jeremiah O'Brien	64	4	Westminster West Vt	M	M	Westminster Wt	Westminster Wt	John O'Brien	Johannah Mullins
" 24	Susan C. Platts	92	4		F	W			Christopher Crowell	Anna G. Robinson
" 27	James Curran	73	1	Hadley, N. Y.	M	M	Nelson	Canada	John Barrett	Sarah S. Evans
" 27	Thomas F. Barrett	68	7	Canada	M	W	Keene	Keene	Andre Bouvier	Charlotte de Villiers
" 27	Joseph Bonvic	25	5	Keene	F	S	Forest, N. Y.	Canada	Justin S. Blake	Jennie Stearns
" 28	Ethel Isabelle Blake	25	5	"	M	S	Wallington, Vt.	Mt. Holly, Vt.	Albert Lemire	Delia Levielle
" 29	— Lemire	82	2	Sullivan	F	W			Rufus D. Bucklin	Myra E. Dickerman
Apr. 2	Harriet N. Wright	39	7	E. Wallington, Vt.	F	M	Ellenburg, N. Y.	Dover	Geo. Loranger	Delia Lamere
" 3	Minie L. Smyth	60	5	Keene	F	M	Calais, Me.	Ellenburg, N. Y.	Paul V. Rockwood	Bernice E. Vickery
" 3	Hennette E. Mason	60	3	"	M	S	Richmond	Dover	Enoch Sprague	Alather Davis
" 3	Arthur Loranger	3	5	"	M	S	Stoddard	Washington	Luther Pitcher	Mary H. Stewart
" 3	Rockwood	75	5	Richmond	M	S	England	England	David Dennison	Ruth Brown
" 3	Asahel G. Sprague	65	6	Stoddard	M	W	Marshall, Ms.	Westmoreland	George Tilden	Harriet Wheeler
" 4	George F. Pitcher	44	7	Yorkshire, Eng.	F	M	Canada	Highgate, Vt.	John M. Gour	Fannie C. Oliver
" 8	Caroline Yeaton	61	7	Keene	F	M	Keene	Barrington, Ca.	Jas. B. Duffy	Cordelia F. Gour
" 8	Elizabeth Kingsbury	30	2	Barrington, Ca.	F	M	Keene	Royalston, Ms.	Leonard Wilcox	Rhoda E. Lewis
" 10	Cordelia F. Duffy	30	2	Keene	F	M	Gilsum	Ireland	Richard Savage	Mary Wilson
" 10	Dominick Duffy	38	11	"	M	S	Ireland	Ireland	Frederick Nims	Harriet Wardwell
" 12	Jennie M. Reed	47	3	Ludlow, Vt.	F	M				
" 12	Ferdinand F. Wilcox	67	7	Fermanagh, Ire.	M	S				
" 15	Jane S. Elliot	60	3	Sullivan	F	W				
" 19	Francis O. Nims	60	3	Sullivan	M	M				

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		Years.	Months.		Days.	Male or Female.	S, M., W.*	Father.			Mother.
Apr. 19	Nora E. Lawrence	30	7	15	Keene	F	M	Canada	Keene	Joseph Champeau	Mary Jolly
" 20	Albert H. Hamblet	57	10	13	"	M	M	Swanzy	Langdon	Horace Hamblet	Nancy Loomis
" 20	Hannah N. B. Collins	74	3	8	Fitzwilliam	F	M	Fitzwilliam	Royalston, Ms.	John Burbank	Hannah Lyon
" 21	William P. Broadhead	7	28	7	Manchester	M	S	Germantown, Pa.	Keene	Wm. G. Broadhead	Katharine R. Howe
" 23	Hamilton Hall	1	1	1	Keene	M	S	Mendon, Ms.	Surry	Adin A. Hall	Maria W. Scripture
" 25	Emerline P. Wyatt	82	11	8	Woodstock, Vt.	F	W	Woodstock, Vt.	Middleboro, Ms.	Walter Palmer	Jerusia Lovcl
" 26	Willis A. Tupper	44	2	26	Swanzy	M	M	Swanzy	Rindge	Alonzo Tupper	Laura Parkhurst
" 28	Elphege A. Brouillard	7	10	7	Keene	M	S	Canada	Canada	Pierre Brouillard	Exillia Demers
" 29	Patrick Ahearn	77	10	17	Kerry, Ire.	F	M	Ireland	Ireland	Patrick Ahearn	Johannah Kelher
" 29	Martha M. Perham	55	28	28	Woodford, Vt.	F	M	"	"	Leonard Knapp	Celinda B. Reid
Mar. 2	Patrick Shea	71	1	6	Ireland	M	W	Westminster, Vt.	Ireland	Orrin Black	Abigail Chapin
May 3	Ellen M. Marshall	76	9	3	Westmoreland	F	M	Ireland	Ireland	Joshua Whitney	Persis Moore
" 3	Lucia Ellen Chapin	64	9	3	Woodstock, Vt.	F	M	Ireland	Ireland	William Daley	Mary Fant
" 5	Lillian E. Wallbank	26	8	20	Glawathane, Ire.	F	M	"	"	Seth Hudson	Lydia
" 7	Marshall Hudson	77	5	19	W. Dummerston, Vt.	M	M	Cornish	Danvers, Mass.	Jonah Rice	Nancy Hill
" 8	Augustus M. Rice	80	9	21	Fitchburg, Ms.	M	M	Westmoreland	Thetford, Vt.	Emory W. Evleth	Sarah E. Goss
" 9	William W. Evleth	42	6	20	Roxbury	M	W	"	"	John Ranstead	Thursa Britton
" 10	Hannah P. Marvin	88	3	23	Westmoreland	F	W	Rockingham, Vt.	Goffstown	Joseph Leach	Jerusha Allen
" 12	Mary E. Fitzgerald	65	9	11	Saxtons River, Vt.	F	M	"	"	Madison Comstock	Antoinette Allen
" 15	Joseph A. Leach	70	28	2	Peterboro	M	M	Chesterfield	Walpole	Patrick Curtin	Delia Donahue
" 16	Dolly M. Hewett	30	1	18	Walpole	F	M	Ireland	Keene	Anthony Hill	Louise Oliver
" 17	Louis F. Donahue	17	7	3	Keene	F	S	Italy	Vermont	"	"
" 18	Mary H. Nadow	59	4	21	Highgate, Vt.	F	W	"	"	"	"
" 20	Frank R. Bowman	53	11	15	Sweden	M	M	"	"	"	"
" 20	James Dillon	45	2	2	"	M	M	"	"	"	"
" 21	Henry Blake	79	8	4	"	M	M	"	"	"	"
Feb. 21	George S. Heaton	64	8	6	Keene	M	M	Sullivan	Sullivan	Oliver Heaton	Lovisa Seward
May 24	George H. Read	73	8	6	Swanzy	M	S	"	"	Abel W. Read	Sylvia Graves
" 25	Emily I. Blake	62	1	2	Walpole	F	M	Walpole	Keene	Daniel Merriam	Emily E. Robinson

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		Years.	Months.	Days.			Father.	Mother.		
May 26	Willis W. Pratt	37	11	20	M	S	Ionis, Mich.	P. Edward Island	Morris G. Stone	Caroline F. Gorges
" 27	— Stone	27			F	S	New York, N. Y.	Northfield, Ms.	Ernest Pratt	Ada Wheeler
" 28	— Pratt	26			M	S	Stoddard	Stoddard	Isaac Copeland	Mary Pitcher
" 29	Arvilla L. Messenger	96	6	26	F	M	Jaffrey	Jaffrey	Aaron Hodgkins	Rhoda Perkins
" 29	Ambrus Hodgkins	75	4	8	M	M	Dublin	Dublin	Jos. Twitchell	Hannah Greenwood
" 30	Lewis P. Randolph	81	5	14	M	S	Ireland	Ireland	Patrick Costello	Catherine Lally
" 30	Sarah Kelley	86	3		F	W	Keene	Walpole	Luke S. Ollis	Josephine Cahill
June	Marion Ollis	1	9	1	F	S	Clinton, Mass.	Ireland	John Donovan	Margaret Finn
" 3	Catherine Kearney	71			F	W	Ireland			
" 3	George S. Heaton	78			M	S	Sullivan	Stoddard	Henry O. Estey	Sarah
" 4	Anna G. Russell	36	10	10	F	M	"	Gilsum	David Bill	Fanny Dort
" 5	Samuel D. Bill	82	10	11	M	W	Northfield, Ms.	Northfield, Ms.	Elias Holton	Fanny Mattoon
" 5	Electa H. Cross	82	10	20	F	W	Peterboro	Keene	Harry M. Wilder	Mary Joslin
" 6	Don E. Wilder	24	1	25	M	M	Sullivan	Roxbury	Elmer A. Nims	Ellen M. Billings
" 6	Rebecca C. Nims	23	9		F	S	"	Westmoreland	George Kent	Florence M. Brooks
" 10	Mabel Brooks	23	9		F	S	"	"	Henry Mason	Lucinda Hall
" 10	Simcon A. Mason	81	1	5	M	S	Sherborn, Ms.	New York state	Charles H. Castor	Mary Fredenburg
" 14	Martha Castor	1			F	S	New York state			
" 14	Julia A. French	82	11	9	F	W	Canada	Canada	Armadie Fish	Delenie Willet
" 15	Charles E. Fish	1	9	23	M	S	Putney, Vt.	Canada	Lynds Wheelock	Sarah F. Conant
" 17	George A. Wheelock	90	5	23	M	S	Richmond	Littleton	Geo. W. Sturtevant	Fanny Kilburn
" 20	Frances C. Hall	76	10	23	F	M	Dublin	Winchester	Chas. W. Taylor	Julia A. Narramore
" 24	Earl C. Taylor	26	2	1	M	M	Harrisville	Dublin	Asa Hemmenway	Sally Gleason
" 27	Harriet E. Freeman	89	10	28	F	W	Westminster, Vt.	Chester, Vt.	Henry G. Harlow	Mary Sargent
" 27	Grace E. Harlow	29	10	6	F	S	Tunbridge, Vt.	Surry	Azro H. Reynolds	Emily T. Allen
" 28	Zoe Emily R Cooksley	36	6	8	F	S	Barnston Cor., Ca	Keene	Homer W. Tuttle	Stella I. M. Raymond
July	Leah Arvilla Tuttle	12	5	25	F	F	Winchester	Newcastle	John Ward	Deborah Card
" 3	Dorothy F. Stevens	77	3	16	F	W	France	France	Joseph	Supio
" 3	Supio Lapoint	73			F	W	Ireland	Ireland	Patrick Cooney	Mary Cantwell
" 6	Lawrence Cooney	34	6	19	M	S	Rutland, Mass.			

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										Male or Female.	S, M, W.
July	8 Jennie M. Nesmith	63	9	5	Antrim	S	F	Antrim	Franklin	Iona. Nesmith	Marnett Morrill
"	8 Albert P. Griffith	70	9		Swanzy	M	M	Swanzy	Shrewsbury, Vt.	Samuel Griffith	Mahala Grimes
"	14 Kenneth O. Dimick				Keene	S	M	Swanzy	Shrewsbury, Vt.	Geo. O. Dimick	Flora L. Green
"	15 Nelson George	55	5	7	"	M	M	"	"	"	"
"	15 Rose D. Beaumier	72	6		St. Gregoire, Ca.	F	F	Canada	Canada	Pierre McDonald	Sophie Bourque
"	27 Elizabeth O'Brien	3	5	25	Keene	F	F	Ashburnham, Ms.	Keene	Timothy J. O'Brien	Mary Donovan
"	28 Marie M. Boisvert	2	9	1	"	F	F	Watson, P. Q.	Watson, P. Q.	Edward Boisvert	Albina Le Roux
"	28 Mary A. McGreevy	45			Worcester, Mass.	F	F	Ireland	Ireland	George McGreevy	"
"	30 Nuffett May	81	6	1	Three Rivers, Ca.	F	F	Canada	Canada	Duffency	"
"	31 Adam Capriska	63	7	25	Poland	M	M	"	"	"	"
Aug.	2 Frank X. Harmon	24	7	25	Canada	M	M	"	"	"	"
"	8 Julia A. Colburn	64	10	6	"	F	F	"	"	"	"
"	9 Ann Weeks	68	7	7	Ireland	F	F	Ireland	Ireland	"	"
"	13 Edward A. Fox	78	4	3	Marlow	M	M	Hancock	Marlow	Daniel Denchil	Norah
"	20 — Finkelstein				Keene	M	M	Russia	Russia	George W. Fox	Rebecca Royce
"	22 Thomas A. Craig	53			"	F	F	Canada	Keene	Samuel Finkelstein	Julia Wyzausky
"	23 Ann E. Higgins				"	M	M	"	"	Allen A. Craig	Ruth Marsh
"	24 Philip Boyce	79	6	16	Richmond	F	F	Keene	Ireland	Jas. J. Higgins	Margaret Daley
"	26 Christopher O'Neil	86	10		Ireland	M	M	Richmond	Richmond	Thomas Boyce	Sylvia Ballou
"	28 Mary W. Rahn	90	2	28	Lancaster, Mass.	F	F	Ireland	Ireland	John O'Neil	Catherine Daley
"	29 Addis E. Bennett	77	6	26	Swanzy	M	M	Sterling, Ms.	Weston, Ms.	Phelan Wright	Abigail Bigelow
"	29 Mamie I. Vose				Keene	F	F	Walcot, Vt.	Keene	Annie Aldrich	Annie Aldrich
Sept.	1 John Conway	75		20	Ireland	M	M	Ireland	"	Herbert H. Vose	Ella Hosford
"	1 Denis A. Ryan	68		26	"	M	M	"	"	Jeremiah Conway	Juda Kelleher
"	1 Nancy S. Davis	76	4	13	Ashburnham, Mass.	F	F	Westminster, Ms.	Ashburnham, Ms.	Joseph Miller	Hannah Marble
"	5 David John Higgins				Keene	M	M	Keene	Ireland	James J. Higgins	Margaret Daley
"	6 Arnold G. Britton	3	5	22	"	M	M	Surry	England	Louis G. Britton	Alice Milton
"	7 Julia O'Leary	72	5	2	Ireland	F	F	Ireland	Ireland	Timothy O'Leary	Bridget Sullivan
"	11 Henry G. Raymond				Keene	M	M	Keene	Fitzwilliam	Ernest Raymond	Selina M. Libby
"	12 Marguerite Baker	39	8	19	Canada	F	F	Canada	Canada	John Capman	Mary Morris

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										S., M., W., Female.
Sept 13	Taylor E. Hill	64	5	9	Chesterfield	M	Winchester	Chesterfield	Elisha T. Hill	Harriet Taylor
" 13	Isaac N. Spencer	68	12	2	Greenfield, Mass.	M	Weston, Ont.	New Brunswick	Asher Spencer	Elizabeth Newall
" 13	Leonel Brusseau	68	2	21	Keene	M	Hinsdale	Hinsdale	George Brusseau	Emma Perry
" 14	Chas. N. Thomas	67	1	1	Hinsdale	M	Ireland	Ireland	Nathan Thomas	Lucretia Thomas
" 14	Margaret Wall	73	1	1	Ireland	F	Sullivan	Sullivan	Tracy	Betsey Wilson
" 14	Roxana O. Nims	87	5	21	Sullivan	F	Canada	Ware, Mass.	James Osgood	Emma Labbe
" 18	Josephine Deslauriers	87	2	10	Keene	F	Syria, Asia	Syria, Asia	T. Deslauriers	Rose Simon
" 18	Caroline E. Hillman	70	2	29	"	F	Manchester	Cambridgeport Ms	Henry Willard	Sarah Perry
" 18	Joseph Peters	1	1	1	"	M	Vermont	Pomfret, Vt.	George Peters	Carrie A. Safford
" 20	Helen M. Marcotte	4	9	9	Concord	F	Shelburne Fs, Ms.	Keene	Napoleon J. Marcott	Mary Hathaway
" 25	Joseph E. Emmons	57	10	25	Douglas, Mass.	M	Hinsdale	Hinsdale	Don Emmons	Betsey E. Nurse
" 26	Ann E. Graves	63	2	22	Chesterfield	F	Lowell, Mass.	Greensboro, Vt.	Carlos Quinn	Maria Elmore
" 26	Elizabeth O. Reed	67	3	24	Warwick, Mass.	F	Beaucourt, Ca.	England	Wm. H. Leland	Annie T. Young
" 27	John Sharkey	51	18	18	Beaucourt, Ca.	M	England	England	Joseph Dubois	Betsey Daniel
Oct. 2	Fred O. Quinn	52	3	26	Warwick, Mass.	M	Nelson	Worcester, Ms.	William Hosking	Mary E. Cowl
" 10	Asa B. Leland	20	4	4	Greensboro, Vt.	M	Keene	St. Albans, Vt.	Joseph Davis	Sylvia Wilbur
" 12	Josette Beaumier	96	9	9	Beaucourt, Ca.	F	Keene	Lebanon	Geo. S. Bergeron	Ella Lower
" 12	Elenora J. Fox	74	10	2	St. Austell, Eng.	F	Keene	Bridgeport, Ct.	Dana F. Reed	Emma J. Lampron
" 13	Elizabeth H. Nims	79	10	2	Waltham, Mass.	F	Keene	Richmond	John B. Hall	Clarissa Hayward
" 13	Howard S. Robbins	50	5	23	Shrewsbury, Mass.	M	Keene	E. Alstead	Wilfred A. Greene	Nettie B. Curtis
" 14	Enice D. Smith	89	4	10	Troy	F	Keene	Massachusetts	Jos. H. Babbitt	Jerusha Wood
" 16	Florence E. Bergeron	1	10	15	Ridgewood, N. J.	F	Keene	Chicago, Ill.	Chas. A. Boyington	Emma J. Lyon
" 16	Howard E. Reed	62	9	15	Saratoga, N. Y.	M	Keene	Cork, Ireland	Lawrence O'Brien	Catherine Downey
" 17	Lewis H. Hall	52	5	20	Keene	F	Keene	Swansey	Israel Applin	Lucy Fessenden
" 19	Linwood A. Greene	62	5	20	Keene	M	Keene	Walpole	Chas. A. Miller	Mamie Blanchard
" 20	John W. Babbitt	71	4	8	"	M	Keene	Walpole	Chas. A. Miller	Mamie Blanchard
" 21	Marguerite Boyington	18	1	6	Chicago, Ill.	F	Keene	Walpole	Chas. A. Miller	Mamie Blanchard
" 22	Patrick J. O'Brien	53	6	27	Keene	M	Keene	Walpole	Chas. A. Miller	Mamie Blanchard
" 25	Mary S. Applin	75	1	28	Swansey	F	Keene	Walpole	Chas. A. Miller	Mamie Blanchard
" 28	Miller	75	1	28	Keene	M	Keene	Walpole	Chas. A. Miller	Mamie Blanchard

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Oct. 29	Abbie T. Richardson	84	7	Keene	F	W	Keene Ireland	James Tufts	— Watkins
" 31	John McCarthy	30	1	East Westmoreland	M	S	Ireland	Timothy McCarthy	Ellen Donovan
Nov. 1	John T. Pickett	7	14	Keene	M	S	Ely, Vt.	Thos. R. Pickett	Josephine F. Ahern
" 2	Jane L. Wyman	66	11	Athens, Vt.	F	W		Lyman Alexander	Maria Chamberlain
" 3	Catherine Perley				F	S		William F. Perley	
" 4	— Desmond			Keene	F	S	Waddington, N.Y.	John P. Desmond	Margaret E. Brennan
" 6	Lucretia J. Tilton	82	4	"	F	W		John V. Wood	Lucretia Perry
" 6	Lydia A. Allen	73	1	Lancaster	F	M	Lancaster Massachusetts	John A. Marden	Mary A. Chamberlain
" 7	Charles A. Nichols	55	7	Lee	M	M		Chester Nichols	Caroline Downing
" 8	Samuel E. Hall	81	8	Canada	M	W		Hatevel Hall	Abigail Elkins
" 10	John Doucett	55	11	Swanzy	M	W	Swanzy	Joseph Doucett	Sarah Mellin
" 11	Charles R. Ballou	58	2	Swanzy	M	W	Marlboro Quebec, Ca.	Alonzo A. Ballou	Annie Bergeron
" 12	Wesley J. Patterson	37	11	Marlow	F	M	Keene	Mitchell J. Patterson	Mary Ann White
" 15	Ida E. LaRock	37	11	Keene	F	M	Troy	James Newell	Johanna Foley
" 22	Stephen C. Roche	25	3	Canada	M	W	Canada	Michael J. Roche	Henriette Lambert
" 27	Oliver Jos. Racine	49	6	Putney, Vt.	M	W		Basile Racine	Sarah Holden
" 28	Addie D. Jaquith	66	3	Keene	F	M	Richmond	Samuel Fisher	Helen A. Leathe
" 30	Clarence E Naramore	6	11		M	S		Frank B. Naramore	

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I hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of births, marriages and deaths is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

FRANK H. WHITCOMB,  
City Clerk.

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*To persons having claims against the city:*

All persons furnishing materials or service for the city should be careful to take the name of the person ordering such materials or service, should enquire against what department the charge should be made, and when there are charges belonging to different departments, *separate bills* should be made, including only charges belonging to each department. All bills must be approved by the person or committee authorizing the charges, and presented for approval of auditor on each Saturday afternoon or evening.

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